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COMMUNION NOTICES

An error in print in Dec. No., made the Lakeland, Fla., lovefeast on Feb. 4th.

Lakeland, Pine Grove, Fla., Feb. 24.

Whittier, New River, Calif. Feb. 18.

THE FLYING YEARS

The days grow shorter, the nights grow longer,
The Head stones thicken along the way,
And life grows sadder, but love grows stronger,
For those who walk with us day by day.

The tears come quicker, the laugh comes slower,
The courage is lesser to do and dare,
And the tide of joy in the heart runs lower
And seldom covers the reefs of care.

But all true things in the world seem truer,
And the better things of the earth seem best;
And friends are dearer as friends are fewer,
And love is all as our sun dips west.

Then let us clasp hands as we walk together,
And let us speak softly in love's sweet tone;
For no man knows—on the morrow whether
We two pass by, or but one alone.

Selected by Viola Filbrun, Westphalia, Kansas.

BOOTS—Sister Elizabeth Boots, daughter of Joseph and Lydia Filburn, was born near Dayton, O., Dec. 24, 1848; departed this life at the home of her niece, Sister Etta Hoffman, in Sawyer, Kans., Nov. 16, 1933, age 84 years, 10 months, 23 days.

She was united in marriage to Peter Brubaker, January 9, 1868, who preceded her in death, Feb. 26, 1922. To this union were born 10 children, 5 of whom preceded her in death, also one step-daughter. The five still liv-

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CONSECRATION NOTICES

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Selected by Viola Ahlrem, Wauseon, Kansas.

BOOTS—Sister Elizabeth Boots, daughter of Joseph and Lydia Ella Eaton, was born near Dayton, O., Dec. 24, 1846; departed this life at the home of her sons, Sister Ella Eaton, in Sawyer, Kans., Nov. 16, 1933, age 87 years, 10 months, 23 days.

She was united in marriage to Peter Brubaker, January 3, 1866, who preceded her in death, Feb. 20, 1902. To this union were born 10 children, 5 of whom preceded her in death, as one son-daughter. The five still living are Mrs. Ella Eaton, Sawyer, Kans.; Mrs. Ella Ebright, Dayton, O.; Mrs. Ella Ebright, Dayton, O.; Mrs. Ella Ebright, Dayton, O

ing are: Harve Brubaker, of Ingalls, Kans., Joe Brubaker, of Modesto, Calif., Bertha Perdue, of Lawrence, Kans., Iva Flory, of Great Bend, Kans., Lydia Dodd, of Liberal, Kans.

July 3, 1924 she was united in marriage to Lewis Boots, of Harris, Kansas, who preceded her in death, Mar. 27, 1927.

She leaves to mourn her departure five children, nineteen grandchildren, thirteen great-grand-children, also 9 step-children, 7 brothers,—Jonas, of Whittier, Calif., Joe of Laverne, Cal., Ben and Levi, of Girard, Ill., Martin and Dan, of Dayton, O., Peter, of Eaton, O.,—also one sister, Sarah Plunkett, of Westphalia, Kans., and a host of relatives and friends.

She was the oldest of a family of 13 children.

She was united with the Old German Baptist Church at the age of 16 years, and lived a faithful and consistant life until death.

Her sickness of short duration was endured with Christian patience, and realizing her condition, she called for the Elders, and was anointed as instructed in James 5.

Aunt Lizzie, as she was usually addressed, was loved and esteemed by all who knew her. She had a smile and a kind word for every one.

She was one of the few remaining charter members of the Pratt, Co., Church, and will be missed by the Church as a loyal, faithful member. The children have lost a kind and loving mother, and the community a true friend.

Funeral services were held Monday 2 P. M., Nov. 20th at the Pleasant View Church, conducted by the home Brethren, from 2nd Tim. 4:6, 7, 8, to a large congregation of relatives and friends.

Interment in the cemetery near by.

Wm. Flory.

CROOK—Harvey L. Crook, son of George H. and Lavina Crook, was born in Franklin Co., Virginia, October 17, 1889.

At the age of 12, with his parents he moved to Miami Co., Indiana, where he spent the remaining part of his life.

On December 24, 1915 he was united in marriage to Anna Allen. To this union were born 2 sons,—Milford and Lester. The latter infant son and the mother passing away on August 10, 1923.

On April 11, 1926 he was united in marriage to Florence Rhodes.

He was a member of the United Brethren Church.

He passed away at the Dukes Hospital, Peru, Indiana on November 9, 1933 at the age of 44 years and 23 days.

Surviving to mourn his departure are the wife and son, Milford, two brothers, Charles and William of Burlington, Indiana, three sisters, Cassie Bailey, of Minot, N. Dak; Ida Deisch, of Bunker Hill, Ind., and Mary Metzger, of Burlington, Ind. There survive also two half sisters, Clara, of Modesto, California and Ruth of Burlington, Indiana, and four half-brothers, Abraham of Columbus, Ind., David of Galveston, Ind., Myron, of Muncie, Ind., Owen of Kirklin, Indiana, and a host of other relatives and friends

Mary Metzger.

FLORA— Salome Flora, daughter of Samuel and Martha Fiant, was born in Preble Co., Ohio, April 25th, 1848. Departed this life Aug. 26th, 1933 aged 85 years, 4 months, 1 day.

She was united in marriage to Amos K. Flora, Sept. 24th, 1873, who preceded her in death Aug. 11, 1916.

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She leaves to mourn her departure five children, nineteen grandchildren, thirteen great-grand-children, also 9 step-children, 7 brothers—Jonas, of Whitter, Calif., Joe of Laverne, Okla., Ben and Levi, of Girard, Ill., Martin and Dan, of Dayton, O., Peter, of Eaton, O.—also one sister, Sarah Flanigan, of Westphalia, Kans., and a host of relatives and friends.

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Mary Metzger.

FLORA—Salome Flora, daughter of Samuel and Martha Flora, was born in Preble Co., Ohio, April 24th, 1845. Departed this life Aug. 20th, 1933 aged 88 years, 4 months, 1 day.

She was united in marriage to Amos K. Flora, Sept. 25th, 1875, who preceded her in death Aug. 11, 1916.

This union not being blessed with

any children of their own, they gave a good home for William Williams who is now deceased, leaving two children of Kokomo, Ind. Also Mae Bowerman, of near Camden, Ind., who with her three children and a host of nephews and nieces with many other relatives and friends are left to mourn her departure.

Aunt Lou, as she was commonly known, was the last of a family of eight children. On the 14th of May she suffered a light stroke of paralysis and was removed to the home of her daughter, near Camden, where she was tenderly cared for until her burial.

When quite young she united with the church of her choice to which she lived a consistent Christian life.

She with her husband was called to the office of the ministry about 50 years ago in which capacity she faithfully served.

D. V. Skiles.

LONGENECKER — Catherine Longenecker, daughter of Daniel and Sarah Royer, was born July 26, 1857. She was 76 years, 2 months and 22 days old at the time of her passing away which was very quietly.

She had been suffering with Bright's disease for several years. She had a stroke of paralysis three weeks before the end came which occurred Oct. 17, 1933, about 5 o'clock P. M. She called for the elders and was anointed according to the teaching of James 5:14. There were five children born to Mahlon and Catherine Longenecker, namely: Alma Bryie, Clyde F., Wesley, Solomon and Noah.

The Husband.

KULP—Isaac A. Kulp son of Bro. Samuel and sister Mary Kulp, was born in Medina Co., Ohio, March 13, 1879. Departed this life at the age of 54 years, 5 months and 18 days, on Sept 1, 1933 at his home near Silver Lake, Ind.

He had been in failing health for over a year but never gave up courage until the last. All that human skill, devotion and care could do for him was performed but at last the flesh became too weak to contain the spirit which we feel returned to God who gave it.

He suffered much in his last days but was very patient to the last. When he realized the end was near he requested to be anointed which was performed a few days before his death.

On June 21, 1910, he was united in marriage to Anna Hay, (daughter of Bro. Martin and sister Catherine Hay of Silver Lake, Ind.) They resided at Adel, Ia., for some time where he followed the veterinary practice. In the year of 1923, on account of poor health he discontinued the practice and they returned to Silver Lake and took up their abode in the home of her parents, then deceased.

He was a very kind and devoted husband and endeared himself to all his friends by his kind consideration of others even to his last days. He is greatly missed in the family and by his host of friends, for his was a nature to make friends wherever he went.

He leaves to mourn his departure, the loving companion, one full sister, Etta Woodbridge, of Modesto, Calif., and one half sister, Margaret Messamer of Adel, Ia., and one half brother, Harvy Rebman, of Modesto, Calif. His funeral was preached in the First Brethren church of North Manchester, Ind., of which he was a member. Interment in cemetery of Old German Baptist church, North Manchester, Ind.

The Family.

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He leaves to mourn his departure, the loving companion, one full sister, Ella Woolbridge, of Modesto, Cal., and one half sister, Margaret Messmer of Ashel, Ia., and one half brother, Henry Rahman, of Modesto, Calif. His funeral was preached in the First Brethren church of North Manchester, Ind., of which he was a member. Interment in cemetery of Old German Baptist church, North Manchester, Ind.

The Family.

KIMMEL—In the Ludlow and Painter Creek district, Ohio, Bro, Ira N. Kimmel, son of Elder John and Sister Mary Miller Kimmel, deceased. Was born near Brookville, Montgomery Co., Ohio, Oct. 17, 1873 and departed this life Nov. 4, 1933, near Pittsburg, Darke Co., Ohio, aged 60 years, 18 days.

On March 2, 1907 he was united in holy wedlock to Lydia Baker with whom he lived and shared the joys and sorrows of life until the end of his earthly career. Their union was blessed with one son (William) and one daughter (Lois) both of whom with their mother reside at home, and are left to mourn the loss of a kind and affectionate husband and father. There remain also to mourn his departure, five brothers, namely, John M., David F., and Harvey C., of Brookville, Ohio, Jesse C., of Dayton, Ohio, and Ethan J., of Whittier, Cal., and many other relatives and friends. One brother and one sister preceded him in their infancy, and his father and mother also had gone on before to the great beyond.

Some time after his marriage, while residing in the Wolf Creek district of Church, the subject of this notice was baptized and united with the Old German Baptist Church of which his wife was a member before their marriage and he remained faithful until death, having served diligently in the office of deacon for a number of years.

In his last illness he was "anointed with oil in the name of the Lord" according to the instruction of the Apostle James in ch. 5, vs. 14. His funeral was held Nov. 7th, at the Miller Grove M. H., near Pitsburg, Ohio, conducted by Brethren Peter D. Bowman and Arthur L. Silvers. Text Rev. 3:10. Burial in the Mote Cemetery. J. M. K.

MILLER—Clara-Lee Sarah, daughter of Edward and Lottie Miller, was born Nov 26, 1933; departed this life Nov. 28, 1933, at her home near Hickman Mills, Mo., age 2 days. She seemed to be a very healthy child, the end came very suddenly, only being sick a couple hours.

She leaves to mourn her departure father, mother, one brother, Robert Edward, grandparents, Bro. William and Sister Sarah Miller of Stark City, Mo., friend Robert and Sister Clara Embery and one great grandmother, Sister Hettie Larcher, all of Fairview, Mo. Also a host of other relatives and friends.

She was a rose budded on earth to bloom in heaven.

Funeral at Fairview, Mo., by Bro. James Brooks, assisted by the other Brethren.

By her Aunts.

MILLER—In the bounds of the North Fork Church, Carroll Co., Ind., Elder Levi A. Miller, son of Abram and Elizabeth Miller, was born in Miami Co., Ind, March 5. 1863; departed this life at his home near Rossville, Ind., Nov. 10, 1933 thus making his sojourn in life 70 years, 8 months and 5 days. He became a member of the Old German Baptist Church in early life and remained faithful and consistent until his departure. On May 2, 1886, he was united in marriage to Emily Hurley. This union was blessed with 10 children—6 sons and 4 daughters. Of the sons 2 preceded him in death, one dying in infancy and one, Earl, at the age of 19 years. He leaves to mourn his departure his side companion, 4 sons and 4 daughters, 21 grand-children, 3 brothers and 3 sisters. The surviving children are Lizzie Root, Ruth Austin, Abe, Russell, Carl and Homer living near home, and Maggie and Alice at

KIMMEL—In the Hallow and Water Creek district, Ohio, Bro. Ira Kimmel, son of Elder John and Sister Mary Miller Kimmel, deceased. He was born near Broadville, Montgomery Co., Ohio, Oct. 27, 1873 and departed this life Nov. 4, 1933, near Pitsburg, Darke Co., Ohio, aged 60 years, 13 days.

On March 2, 1897 he was united in holy wedlock to Lydia Baker with whom he lived and shared the joys and sorrows of life until the end of his earthly career. Their union was blessed with one son (William) and one daughter (Cora) both of whom with their mother reside at home, and he left to mourn the loss of a kind and affectionate husband and father. There remain also to mourn his departure, five brothers, namely, John A., David F., and Harvey C., of Brookville, Ohio, Jesse C., of Dayton, Ohio, and Ethan T., of Whittier, Cal., and many other relatives and friends. One brother and one sister preceded him in their infancy, and his father and mother also had gone on before to the great beyond.

Some time after his marriage, while residing in the Wall Creek district of Church, the subject of this notice was baptized and united with the Old German Baptist Church of which his wife was a member before their marriage and he remained faithful until death, having served ably in the office of deacon for a number of years.

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J. M. K.

MILLER—Clara-Lee Barch, daughter of Edward and Lottie Miller, was born Nov. 24, 1933; departed this life Nov. 28, 1933, at her home near Hickman Mills, Mo., age 3 days. She seemed to be a very healthy child, the end came very suddenly, only being sick a couple hours.

She leaves to mourn her departure father, mother, one brother, Robert Edward, grandparents, Bro. William and Sister Sarah Miller of Stark City, Mo., friend Robert and Sister Clara Embery and one great grandmother, Sister Hattie Barcher, all of Fairview, Mo. Also a host of other relatives and friends.

She was a rose budded on earth to bloom in heaven.

Funeral at Fairview, Mo., by Bro. James Brooks, assisted by the other Brethren.

By her Aunts.

MILLER—In the bounds of the North Fork Church, Carroll Co., Ind., Elder Levi A. Miller, son of Abram and Elizabeth Miller, was born in Miami Co., Ind. March 3, 1853; departed this life at his home near Rossville, Ind., Nov. 10, 1933 thus making his sojourn in life 80 years, 8 months and 8 days. He became a member of the Old German Baptist Church in early life and rendered faithful and constant until his departure. On May 2, 1880, he was united in marriage to Emily Bowly. This union was blessed with 10 children—6 sons and 4 daughters. Of the sons 2 preceded him in death, one dying in infancy and one, Noah, at the age of 12 years. He leaves to mourn his departure his wife companion, 4 sons and 4 daughters, 22 grand-children, 3 brothers and 3 sisters. The surviving children are Lizzie Root, Ruth Austin, Abe, Russell, Carl and Homer living near home, and Maggie and Alice at

home. In 1900 he was elected to the ministry and a few years later ordained to the full ministry. To which calling he served faithfully, ever willing to do his duty. He had the privilege of living to see all his children unite with the church he so faithfully served. He was a loving companion and a dear father and will be greatly missed in the home and in the church, but we feel our loss is his great gain. Funeral was preached by Brother J. W. Skiles assisted by the home brethren, from 2 Tim. 4:6-8, to a large audience of members, neighbors and friends. One by one the chairs stand vacant which were filled by those we loved. One by one the seats are filling in the heavenly courts above. May we all be ready to meet our Lord when the death message comes.

Edward C. Miller.

LETTERS AND MONEY RECEIVED

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OUR FRIENDS WHO HAVE PASSED

They never quite leave us,
Our friends who have passed
Through the shadows of death
To the sunlight above;
A thousand sweet memories
Are holding them fast
To the places they blest
With their presence and love.

The work which they left
And the books which they read,
Speak mutely, though still
With an eloquence rare;
And the songs that they sung,
The dear words that they said,
Yet linger and sigh
On the desolate air.

And oft when alone,
And as oft in the throng;
Or when evil allures us
Or sin draweth nigh,
A whisper comes gently,
"Nay do not the wrong,"
And we feel that our weakness
Is pitied on high.

We toil at our tasks
In the burden and heat,
Of life's passionate noon;
They are folded in peace:
It is well, we rejoice
That their heaven is sweet;
And one day for us all
The bitter will cease.

We too shall go home
O'er the River of Rest,
As the strong and the lovely
Before us have gone.
But our sun will go down
In the beautiful West,
To rise in the glory
That circles the throne.

Selected by Martha Butts, 301 Euclid Ave., Greenville, Ohio.

COOK—Anna Cook, daughter of Henry and Sister Delilah Beigh was born September 28th, 1875 near Silver Lake, Kosciusko County, Indiana, and died January 2nd., 1934, near North Manchester, Wabash County, Indiana, at the age of 58 years, 3 months, and 5 days.

She was united in marriage to Brother John C. Cook March 18th, 1895. To this union were born three children, namely: Sister Mary A. Miller of Wakarusa, Indiana, Brother Emery E. Cook and Brother Albert H. Cook of North Manchester, Indiana. She is survived by the husband, the three children and their companions, seven grandchildren, one brother, one sister and a host of other relatives and friends who mourn her departure.

She united with the Old German Baptist Church in early life to which she lived faithful until death.

Funeral conducted in the North Manchester Church by the home Brethren assisted by Elder Leander Miller and burial was in the cemetery near by. Jesse M. Coning.

GARBER—Noah Garber, son of Eld. Samuel and Lydia Garber, was born in Montgomery County, Ohio, March 7, 1853, and departed this life Dec. 23, 1933, aged 80 years, 9 mos., and 16 days.

He was united in marriage to Endoria Bookwalter, March 7, 1878, which union was broken by the death of his wife more than thirty years ago. He is survived by three daughters, Mrs. Geo. Gage, Pennville, Ind., Mrs. Miles Scheaffer, Omaha, Neb., Mrs. W. C. Topping, Portland, Oregon and one son Charles, of Camas, Wash. Also three grand-children and one great-grandchild. He died at the home of his nephew, Wm. Gearhart, six miles west of Dayton, O. The

COOK—Anna Cook, daughter of Henry and Sister Jordan Bolgh was born September 24th, 1875 near Silver Lake, Kosciusko County, Indiana, and died January 2nd, 1934, near North Manchester, Wabash County, Indiana, at the age of 18 years, 3 months, and 5 days.

She was united in marriage to Brother John C. Cook March 12th, 1893. To this union were born three children, namely: Sister Mary A. Miller of Warsaw, Indiana, Brother Henry R. Cook and Brother Albert R. Cook of North Manchester, Indiana. She is survived by the husband, the three children and their families, seven grandchildren, one brother, one sister and a host of other relatives and friends who mourn her departure.

She united with the Old German Baptist Church in early life to which she lived faithful until death.

Funeral conducted in the North Manchester Church, by the Church Brethren assisted by Sister Lambert. Milly and burial was in the cemetery near by.

Jesse M. Crouse.

GARDNER—Noah Gardner, son of Ed. Sanner and Linda Gardner, was born in Montgomery County, Iowa, March 7, 1858, and departed this life Dec. 29, 1933, aged 80 years, 9 months and 18 days.

He was united in marriage to Sister Anna Rosewater, March 7, 1878, which union was broken by the death of his wife more than twenty years ago. He is survived by three daughters, Mrs. Geo. Gaige, Bainbridge, Ind., Mrs. Miles Eshelman, Omaha, Neb., Mrs. N. T. Topping, Oakland, Calif., and one son Charles, of Omaha, Neb. Also three grandchildren and one great-grandchild. He died at the home of his daughter, Mrs. Gaige, Bainbridge, Ind., after a long and painful illness. The

children all visited their father shortly before his death and three were present at the funeral which was conducted at the Bear Creek Church Dec. 26, and interment made at Eversole cemetery. Text 1 Cor. 13 and Heb. 12:1. Services conducted by Eld. Wm. N. Kinsey and the writer.

David Mohler.

HODGES—Martin Hodges was born in Franklin Co., Va.; died Nov. 22nd, 1933 in the same county, his age being about 70 years. Never had any schooling but was a man of much natural intellect, was a farmer and auctioneer. Was sick 45 days with heart dropsy during which time he could not lie down. His sufferings were very great, but he bore them with much patience and Christian fortitude. He was a member of the Church of the Brethren. Shortly before his death he called for the elders and was anointed with oil in the name of the Lord. Funeral at the home by the undersigned, J. T. Rutrough and Johnie Wade, of the Missionary Baptist Church to a large concourse of sorrowing relatives and friends.

His remains were laid to rest in the family burying ground, near by. He leaves to mourn their loss his aged widow, one son, one brother and one sister besides other relatives and friends. I feel sure this man helped to dig more graves and bury more people to his age than any man living in this or any other community. He went far and near and helped to render this last service to the dead without charge or respect to creed or color. "Peace to his ashes."

H. E. Boone.

HUNSICKER—In the bounds of the Ash Grove district of church, near Lima, Allen Co., Ohio, Mary Ellen, daughter of Daniel and Harriet Hunsicker was born Sept. 16th, 1915. Died Dec. 28, 1933. Aged 18 years, 3 m., 12 days.

She leaves to mourn her departure her father, mother, one brother, Everett Daniel, of Toledo, Ohio, two sisters, Thelma Jane and Catherine Louise, at home, one grandfather, Caleb Hunsicker, also one step-grandmother, Martha Morton, and many other relatives and friends to mourn her early departure. Her death came very sudden and unexpected. She was on her way home from visiting a girl friend, the roads being very icy. She applied her brakes as she was nearing a railroad crossing; but the ice caused the wheels to slide in front of a fast passenger train and she met death instantly. Mary was a girl of a loving disposition. She made friends wherever she went both young and old, greeting her friends always with a smile. She had many friends at school and in the neighborhood, and her place will be greatly missed in her home and with her friends. There are many heart-broken friends which can heartily sympathize with the bereaved family.

Funeral by the writer assisted by the home brethren from John 14:19, also read 1st Samuel 20:3 first verses. "There is but one step between me and death." May all take warning while in the bloom of life death may come instantly.

Edward C. Miller, Lafayette, Ind. Rt. 3.

McCOOL — Rebecca Collclesser was born April 27th, 1850, in Montgomery Co., Ohio, departed this life Dec. 2nd, 1933, aged 83 years, 7 months, 5 days. She was the only daughter of Joseph and Elizabeth Collclesser. She had three full brothers (Jacob, of Mishawaka, Ind., Lewis, of Kansas City, Henry who passed

children all visited their father shortly before his death and three were present at the funeral which was conducted at the Bear Creek Church Dec. 28, and interment made at Riverside cemetery. Text: 1 Cor. 15 and Rev. 14:13. Services conducted by Eld. Wm. M. Kinsey and the writer.

David Hodge.

HODGES—Martin Hodges was born in Franklin Co., Va., date Nov. 22nd, 1833 in the same county, his age being about 70 years. Never had any schooling but was a man of much natural intellect, was a farmer and mechanic. Was sick 48 days with heart dropsy during which time he could not lie down. His sufferings were very great, but he bore them with much patience and Christian fortitude. He was a member of the Church of the Brethren. Shortly before his death he called his two sons and was reconciled with all in the house of the Lord. Funeral at the house by the undersigned, J. T. Hodgson and Jacob Weaver, of the Missionary Baptist Church to a large congregation of mourning relatives and friends.

His sons-in-law were laid to rest in the family burying ground, near by. He leaves to mourn their loss his aged widow, six sons, one brother and one sister besides other relatives and friends. I feel sure this man helped to dig more graves and bury more people in his age than any man living in this or any other community. He went far and near and helped in burying the dead with out charge or regard to color or color. "Peace to his ashes."

H. E. Hodge.

HUNSINGER—In the bounds of the Ash Grove District of Carroll, near Lima, Allen Co., Ohio, Mary Ellen Hunsinger of Dunkard and Brethren parentage, daughter of Joseph and Elizabeth Cookenour. She had three full brothers (dead), of Mishawaka, Ind., Lewis, of Benton City, Henry who passed away in Kansas City, Mo., and another was born Sept. 30th, 1918. Died Nov. 23, 1933. Aged 15 years, 3 mo., 12 days.

She leaves to mourn her departure her father, mother, one brother, Everett Hunsinger, of Toledo, Ohio, two sisters, Theodora Jane and Catherine Louisa, at home, one grandfather, Caleb Hunsinger, also one non-grandmother, Martha Hoover, and many other relatives and friends to mourn her early departure. Her death came very sudden and unexpected. She was on her way home from visiting a girl friend, the roads being very icy. She slipped her brakes as she was nearing a railroad crossing, but the ice caused the wheels to slide in front of a fast passenger train and she was killed instantly. Mary was a girl of a loving disposition. She made friends wherever she went both young and old, greeting her friends always with a smile. She had many friends at school and in the neighborhood, and her place will be greatly missed in her home and with her friends. There are many heart-broken friends which can hardly sympathize with the bereaved family.

Funeral by the writer assisted by the Rome brethren from John 14:19. Also read the Samuel 23:5 first verse. "There is but one step between me and death." Stop all take warning while in the bloom of life death may come instantly.

Edward C. Miller, Lafayette, Ind. R. R. 1.

MATTOX.—Frances Cookenour was born April 7th, 1850, in Montgomery Co., Ohio, departed this life Jan. 2nd, 1933, aged 82 years, 7 months, 5 days. She was the only daughter of Joseph and Elizabeth Cookenour. She had three full brothers (dead), of Mishawaka, Ind., Lewis, of Benton City, Henry who passed

away), two half brothers, (Jess of Weeping Water, Nebraska, Dan who also passed away), one step-sister (Lottie who also passed away). At the age of 18 she became very sick with no hope of getting well and she was baptized by Abraham Bear into the Old German Baptist Church to which she remained faithful until death; but after her baptism there came a great change and she got well and lived a number of years. She was united in marriage with John W. McCool, April 16th, 1892, in Montgomery Co., Ohio, by Elder William Bucklew. To this union no children were born but she raised a step-grand-son, from 15 months old to manhood. There remain to mourn her departure two brothers, one half-brother, one step-grandson, Walter McCool, of Lewisburg, Ohio, one step-granddaughter, Mrs. Alma Bowers, of New Carlisle, Ohio.

Last May during a short spell of sickness she was anointed with oil in the name of the Lord. Funeral in the Salem meeting-house Dec. 5th by the home Brethren, assisted by Bro. Arthur Silvers. Text: 1st Corinthians, 15th chap., 22 and 23rd verses, to a large crowd of relatives, friends and neighbors. Interment in cemetery near by to await the resurrection and we hope our loss is her eternal gain.

Geo. Bowser.

MOSS—Mrs. Missouri K. Moss, eldest daughter of William and Amanda Jane Moore, was born in Cass County, Indiana, on February 16, 1860, and departed this life at her home in Flint, Michigan on December 21, 1933 at the age of 73 years, 10 months and 5 days.

She was united in marriage to William Moss on February 15, 1876. To this union were born six children, four sons and two daughters: Frank, Sarah, Laura, Edmond, Raymond, and John and 13 grand-children, 10 great-grand-children. The husband, one daughter, and one son having preceded her in death.

She was united with the Old German Baptist church when a young woman, of which she remained a faihful member.

She spent the greater part of her life in Indiana, until in 1911, she with her family moved to Michigan where she remained until death.

Services were held in the First Brethren Church of Corinth, near Logansport, Ind., and the body was laid to rest beside that of her companion.

SINK—Jesse William Sink, son of Bro. William J., and Sister Ida Sink, and grandson of Eld. Wm. H., and Mary Ann Peters. The subject of this notice had worked in the state of Ohio during the summer of 1933 and he, with some other young folks was making a trip to Modesto, Calif. When 11 miles N. of Maderia, Calif., at 3:30 A. M., their car wrecked and Jesse was killed almost instantly. He had attained the age of 20 yrs., 7 mos., 26 days. The deceased leaves to mourn his departure his father, mother, 6 brothers, namely: Lloyd Abraham, Roy David, Nelson Arthur, Clinton Wilbur, Wilfred Nathaniel and Gerald James, 1 sister, namely: Elizabeth Mary, all of Wirtz, Franklin Co., Va., also the above named grandparents and Mrs. Sarah Sink, grandmother, also of Wirtz, Va., and many other relatives and friends. This sad bereavement should be a warning to us all to try to be ready to meet the hour of death when it comes. Hymns selected by the family: Nos. 396, 411, 382, 422, 375, 383. Funeral by the brethren in Oak Hill church, Va., from Matt. 24:44, on Christmas day to a

away), two half brothers, Ross of Weeping Water, Nebraska, Jay who also passed away), one step-sister (Lottie who also passed away). At the age of 18 she became very sick with no hope of getting well and was baptized by Abraham Beer into the Old German Baptist Church, to which she remained faithful until death; but after her baptism there came a great change and she got well and lived a number of years. She was united in marriage with John W. McCool, April 24th, 1872, in Montgomery Co., Ohio, by Elder William Hawkins. To this union no children were born but she raised a step-grandson, from 18 months old to manhood. There remain to mourn her departure two brothers, one half-brother, one stepgrandson, Walter McCool, of Lewisburg, Ohio, one step-granddaughter, Mrs. Alma Bowers, of New Carlisle, Ohio.

Last May during a short spell of sickness she was anointed with oil in the name of the Lord. Funeral in the Salem meeting-house Dec. 6th by the home Brethren, assisted by Bro. Arthur Silvers. Text: 1st Corinthians, 15th chap., 22 and 23rd verses, to a large crowd of relatives, friends and neighbors. Interment in cemetery near by to await the resurrection and we hope one lost is but eternal gain.

Geo. Bowers.

MOSS—Mrs. Margaret E. Moss, eldest daughter of William and Amanda Jane Moore, was born in Cass County, Indiana, on February 16, 1866, and departed this life at her home in Flint, Michigan on December 22, 1937, at the age of 71 years, 10 months and 6 days.

She was united in marriage to William Moss on February 16, 1876. To this union were born six children, four sons and two daughters: Frank, Earnest, Laura, Edmond, Raymond, and John and 12 grandchildren, 12 great-grandchildren. The husband, one daughter, and one son having preceded her in death.

She was united with the Old German Baptist church when a young woman, of which she remained a faithful member.

She spent the greater part of her life in Indiana, until in 1913, she with her family moved to Michigan where she remained until death.

Services were held in the First Baptist Church of Corinth, Genesee County, Mich., and the body was laid to rest beside that of her mother.

SIDDE—Jesse William Sidde, son of Mr. William L. and Sister Ida Sidde, and grandson of Bro. W. H. and Mary Ann Fawcett. The subject of this notice had moved to the state of Ohio during the summer of 1932 and in, with some other young folks was making a trip to Modesto, Calif. When in sight of Stockton, Calif., at 8:30 A. M., they met crossed and Jesse was killed almost instantly. He had attained the age of 20 yrs., 7 mos., 26 days. The deceased leaves to mourn his departure his father, mother, 6 brothers, namely: Lloyd Abraham, Guy Lloyd, William Arthur, Clinton Clifton, Walter Matthew and Gerald Jesse, 1 sister, namely: Elizabeth Mary, all of Wirtz, Franklin Co., Va., also the above named grandparents and Mrs. Sarah Sidd, grandmother, also of Wirtz, Va., and many other relatives and friends. This sad bereavement should be a warning to us all to be ready, for we know not the hour of death when it comes. Hymns selected by the family. Nos. 329, 411, 432, and 276. 363. Funeral by the brethren in Oak Hill church, Va., from Matt. 24:44, on Christmas day in a

large congregation. Burial in the family cemetery.

D. A. Montgomery.

PROWANT — Laura Prowant, daughter of Albert and Eliza Coning, was born in Darke Co., Ohio, October 26, 1869. Departed this life at her home in the bounds of the Eel River church, Kosciusko Co., Ind., December 22, 1933, aged 64 years, 1 month and 26 days.

On Feb. 16, 1895 she was united in marriage to Simon F. Boocher of N. Manchester, Ind., in which vicinity they lived until his death Aug. 12, 1925. To this union were born 5 children, namely: Mary E. Fry of Lake Odessa, Mich.—Katie Florence (who preceded her in death) Flora H. Metzger of N. Manchester, Noah Edward of Wabash, Ind., and Clark C., of New Carlisle, O. There are also 2 step-children of this marriage, Daniel A. Boocher and Dessie May Ulery, both of Lake Odessa, Mich., whom she raised as her own.

On Jan. 12, 1928 she was again united in marriage to Elder David Prowant of Davison, Mich., where they resided until first of Jan. 1932, then came to Indiana to Eel River district of church, where they located.

Early in life she united with the Old German Baptist Church to which she remained faithful until death. During her long illness with that dread disease (cancer) she endured her affliction with patience, reading much in her Bible, and shortly before her death she called for the Elders of the church and was anointed with oil in the name of the Lord. (James 5:14).

She leaves to mourn her departure her side companion, 4 children, 12 grand-children, 8 step-grand-children; also 5 brothers and 2 sisters,—George M., of Lewisberg, O., Amanda Garber of Berrien Springs, Mich., Daniel M., of Dayton, O., Jesse M., of N. Manchester, Ind., Noah M., of Greenville, O., William H., of Lakeland, Fla., and Mary Kamp of N. Manchester. One brother and 2 sisters preceded her in death. She is also survived by her aged mother, besides many other relatives and friends. She was a loving and affectionate wife, mother and grandmother, always ready to help in time of need, and will be greatly missed in the home, the community and the church. But we have a hope, and feel that our loss is her eternal gain.

The funeral service was conducted at the N. Manchester meeting house by Bro. Solomon Stoner and Bro. O. A. Custer, text Rev. 21:7. Thoughts dwelt upon, mother, home and heaven. Hymns—first verse of 491 at house and 386, 498, 411, 384 at the church. Burial in the cemetery near by.

Husband and Children.

STITELY—Elder Isaac P. Stitely, born April 5th, 1854. Departed this life Dec. 29, 1933 at the advanced age of 79 years, 8 months and 24 days.

He was a son of the late Elder David R., and Rachael Stitely, born in Frederick Co., Maryland and lived his entire life in said county near Union Bridge.

At the early age of 16 years he united with the Old German Baptist Church, maintaining and declaring unreservedly his allegiance to the cause of his Master, which cause he maintained until the call came to come up higher.

During his illness his physician considered removing him to the hospital but he remembered something more important than hospitals, and called for the anointing and during the service he seemed to brighten, and it seemed to be a great comfort to him,

after which he expressed himself as in entire submission to the will of God, leaving a beautiful record of more than 63 years in the cause of him whom he so long loved and in whom he ever trusted, and it is needless to say that he will be greatly missed, not only in the church, but in the home circle and the community. But may we not humbly bow in submission to the will of him who doeth all things well? His was a most zealous life in the cause of his Master and no service, means, sacrifice, labor or inconvenience was considered when duty called him to that which could advance the cause which he so tenderly espoused, and when the call came, he passed calmly, and peacefully to his well-earned reward.

He leaves to mourn his departure a devoted companion, six children, thirteen grand-children, and ten great-grand-children. May the influence of his life in the hearts of some of his loved ones who are not yet in the fold, that he being dead, yet speaketh.

On Sunday morning, Dec. 31st, many neighbors and friends gathered at the home to pay the last tribute of respect to the departed, when the body was conveyed to its last resting place in the Beaverdam cemetery, after which services were held in adjoining meeting-house to a large concourse of neighbors, conducted by the writer, assisted by the home Brethren. Text from Phil. 1:21. May our lives be such that it will be gain to us to die.

S. F. Repp.

WOODARD — Mrs. Alice May Woodard, nee Beeghley, was born in Garret County, Maryland, on September 8, 1889.

In 1897 she moved with her parents to Rock Lake, North Dakota. She was baptized into the Church of the Brethren in early teens and was married to Mr. William Sebring on September 9, 1906, and to this union there was born one daughter, Arlene, who survives her. Mrs. Woodard lived on a farm in North Dakota, and managed affairs as best she could, although her husband was ill in Michigan a good part of the time. Mr. Sebring passed away in May, 1917.

The departed was married to Mr. Arthur Woodard, of Gowrie, Iowa, on May 7, 1918, in Rock Lake, North Dakota, and to this union there were born three sons, who survive her. Mr. Woodard passed away on September 26, 1922, as a result of an accident.

Mrs. Woodard has lived in Gowrie since the departure of Mr. Woodard, with the exception of about one year, during which time she lived at Waterloo, Iowa. She has planned and labored hard to keep a home and help making a living for herself and her three boys. Being very ambitious she did not spare herself in the effort to provide for her dear ones. It is probable that she overworked, especially of late when her health was failing somewhat. A large part of Mrs. Woodard's life was filled with hardship and a struggle against great odds, but she carried on with great earnestness and patience.

After about four and one-half weeks of serious illness Mrs. Woodard passed away Monday, December 18, at 5:30 A. M., having reached the age of 44 years, 3 months and 10 days.

The following are left to mourn her departure: One daughter, Mrs. Arlene Bohn, Adrian, Michigan, three sons, John, Harold and Lloyd, her parents, Mr. and Mrs. John J. Beeghley, Topeka, Kansas, six brothers, six sisters, besides numerous other relatives and friends. Funeral services held in the Lutheran church, at Gowrie, Iowa, conducted by Lee Fisher, a pastor of the Church of the Breth-

after which he expressed himself as in entire submission to the will of God, leaving a beautiful record of more than 87 years in the cause of him whom he so long loved and in whom he ever trusted, and it is needless to say that he will be greatly missed, not only in the church, but in the home circle and the community. But may we not humbly bow in submission to the will of him who doeth all things well? His was a most useful life in the cause of his Master and in service, means, sacrifice, labor or inconvenience was considered when duty called him to that which could advance the cause which he so tenderly espoused, and when the call came, he passed calmly, and peacefully to his well-earned reward.

He leaves to mourn his departure a devoted companion, six children, thirteen grand-children, and five great-grand-children. May the sunshine of his life in the hearts of some of his loved ones who are not yet in the fold, that he been dead, yet speaketh.

On Sunday morning, Dec. 23rd, many neighbors and friends gathered at the home to pay one last tribute of respect to the departed, when the body was conveyed to its last resting place in the Beaverton cemetery, after which services were held in adjoining meeting-house to a large concourse of relatives, conducted by the ministers assisted by the home Evangelist. Text from Phil. 1:21. "For to me to live is Christ, and to die is gain."

WOODWARD — Mrs. Alice Mae Woodward, nee Doughty, was born in Grafton County, New Hampshire, October 6, 1857.

In 1897 she united with her parents to Rock Lake, North Dakota. She was baptized into the Church of the Brethren in early teens and was remained a faithful member of the church until her death. Sister Woodward was married to Mr. Arthur Woodward, of Cowrie, Iowa, on May 7, 1913, in Rock Lake, North Dakota, and to this union there were born three sons, who survive her. Mr. Woodward passed away on September 26, 1929, as a result of an accident.

Mrs. Woodward has lived in Cowrie since the departure of Mr. Woodward, with the exception of about one year, during which time she lived at Waterloo, Iowa. She has planned and labored hard to keep a home and help making a living for herself and her three boys. Being very anxious she did not spare herself to the extent of months to her death. It is probable that she overworked, especially of late when her health was failing somewhat. A large part of Mrs. Woodward's life was filled with hardship and a struggle against great odds, but she carried on with great patiences and patience.

After about four and one-half weeks of serious illness Mrs. Woodward passed away Monday, December 16, at 5:30 A. M., having reached the age of 44 years, 3 months and 10 days.

The following are left to mourn her departure: One daughter, Mrs. Alice Irene Dohm, Adrian, Michigan, three sons, John, Harold and Elmer, her parents, Mr. and Mrs. John J. Hessler, Tabula, Kansas; six brothers, six sisters, besides numerous other relatives and friends. Funeral services held in the Lutheran church, at Cowrie, Iowa, conducted by Rev. Stalter, a pastor of the church of the Brethren.

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ren assisted by Verne Swanson, the pastor of the Lutheran church. The remains were shipped to Adrian, Mich., for interment, where her daughter resides.

Father.

LETTERS AND MONEY RECEIVED

FOR THE MONTH ENDING JAN. 14, 1934

Mrs. Lizzie Holsinger	
H. E. Boone	
Allen H. Mohler	
Mary E. Swisher	
David S. Shonk	
A. C. Hess	
I. Buckingham	
W. R. Barnhart	
Levi G. Kline	
H. M. Fisher	
A. L. Silvera	
H. D. Skiles	
Jesse M. Coning	
J. W. Skiles	
G. M. Coning	
O. E. Fry	
D. A. Montgomery	
Mrs. Mamie E. Ulrey	
Nadine Emig	.20
Naomi Cool	1.00
I. D. Holsinger	1.00
Mrs. D. T. Murray	1.00
Mrs. S. A. Miller	1.00
Joel Montgomery	10.80
Levi Shrewsberry	1.00
J. R. Edgecomb	1.10
Chas. M. Hackman	3.00
Rufus Yoder	14.00
R. W. Flory	11.10
A. J. Miller	5.00
J. Moritz	1.00
Mrs. Isaac Royer	1.00
J. H. Akers	.50
Amos E. Miller	10.80
Mrs. Mary Berry	1.00
Franklin C. Fox	15.30
A. C. Peters	1.20
I. L. Montgomery	12.30
Mrs. Lizzie Metzger	1.00
Levi Miller	6.04
H. D. Skiles	3.25
Mary Kline	1.00
Joe Miller	1.10
Mary Meador	1.00
Levi Miller	17.00
H. F. Brubaker	25.00
S. P. Garman	3.25
Noah Jenkins	1.00
Amsey Miller	8.10
Emma Miller	1.00
Chas. M. Brubaker	8.10
J. H. Angle	14.00
D. A. Montgomery	20.10
M. A. Shindledecker	2.00
J. J. Beeghly	1.00
J. H. Riffey	19.00
Paul G. Hess	69.00
J. C. Darst	6.00
Belle Kessler	1.00
I. H. Bashore	1.00
D. E. Lesh	19.80
A. A. Neff	3.00
Mary C. Friedly	1.00
A. J. Bashore	
G. M. Coning	
C. L. Woodbridge	
J. R. Wilt	
L. Buckingham	
Lewis W. King	
H. D. Skiles	
R. R. Lambert	
Daniel J. Miller	
Wm. J. Kimmel	
Chester L. Wolf	
N. W. Garber	
N. L. Jenkins	
S. F. Repp	
Kenneth Jones	
P. D. Bowman	
J. J. Skiles	
Edward C. Miller	
Mrs. Sarah Metzger	1.00
George Bowser	17.55
W. A. Miller	?14.60
Bobbie A. Thomas	1.00
John Brubaker	1.00
Dora B. Denlinger	1.00
J. F. Eller	5.14
O. H. Flora	2.00
D. D. Skiles	20.30
Jesse Baker	1.00
J. S. Wagoner	11.00
R. A. Strong	10.84
H. E. Boone	9.00
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Selected by Mrs. Roy Strong.

ANGLE—Francis Kenneth Angle, son of Willis T. and Ollie L. Angle, was born near Covington, Ohio, July 5, 1917, departed this life Jan. 21, 1934, aged 16 years, 6 mos. and 16 days. He being the first broken link of a family of twelve children, five brothers and six sisters, all at home. He spent his entire life at home. On Sunday the 21st he went to church with the home folks, and in the afternoon went to his neighbor Sotzing where about 2:30 o'clock he was kicked by his own pony, striking him over the heart, causing instant death. He leaves to mourn his departure Father, Mother, five brothers, Marion L., Delmar L., Luther E., Clinton E., and Paul C., six sisters, Glenna M., Phelma M., Lois I., Mary E., Pauline H., and Betty Lou, one Grandmother Angle of Logansport, Ind., and a host of relatives and friends. Kenneth was an obedient son, a kind and loving brother and will be missed by many who loved him, but we hope our loss is his eternal gain. Funeral at the Covington church conducted by Solomon Stoner assisted by Newton Peters and Noah Hockman, to a large congregation. Texts, Jeremiah 31 ch., 15, 16, 17 v., 1st Cor. 15 ch., 26 v. Hymns 411, 375, 382, 383 and 400. "May we all meet again."

The Family.

DELAPLAINE — Ida (Welty) Delaplaine of the "Antietiem" Church of Franklin County, Pa., passed from this life, Jan. 20, 1934, aged 75 yrs., 4 mo., 19 da. Having suffered a stroke of paralysis one year ago from which she never fully recovered, spending much of her time on a wheel chair in the house. She endured her affliction with much patience and fortitude, ever ready to greet the many of her friends who were drawn to

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Selected by Mrs. Ivy Stamm.

JAVIE.—Frances Kenneth Arnold, son of Willis T. and Vivie L. Javie, was born near Centerpoint, Ohio, July 6, 1917, departed this life Jan. 21, 1934, aged 16 years 6 mos. and 16 days. He leaves the best broken hearts of a family of twelve children, five brothers and six sisters, all at home. He always his entire life at home. On Sunday the 21st he drove to church with the horse folks, and in the afternoon went to his Sunday School where about 2:30 o'clock he was stricken by his own death, sinking into over the river, passing instantly death. He leaves to mourn his departure father, Mother, five brothers, Marion L., Dorothy I., Lucinda E., Clinton E., and Ernest E., six sisters, Glenna M., Frances M., Lena J., Mary E., Pauline E., and Sister Lena, the Grandmother Angle of Longmont, Ind., was a loved relative and friend. Kenneth was an obedient son, a kind and loving brother and will be missed by many who loved him. He was one for as long a period of time. Funeral at the Centerpoint church conducted by Elder Jesse Stamm assisted by Sisters Teresa and Noah Brubaker, to a large congregation. Texts: Jeremiah 31:3, Jo. 17 c. 24 v. Int. Chs. 15 ch. 20 v. Hymns 314, 379, 382, 383 and 400. "Miss we all meet again."

The Family

DEHLATELNER — Ida (Walter) Dehlatelner of the "Antietum" Church of Hagerstown, Md., passed from this life Jan. 31, 1934, aged 73 years 4 mos. 12 da. Having suffered a stroke of paralysis one year ago which left the more fully recovered, enabling some of her time on a wheel chair in the house. She received her affliction with much patience and fortitude ever ready to grant the least attention. Funeral with were conducted by Elder Jesse Stamm assisted by Sister Teresa Brubaker to a large congregation. Text: Rev. 14 c. 13 v. Int. Chs. 15 ch. 20 v. Hymns 314, 379, 382, 383 and 400. "Miss we all meet again."

The Family

visit her by her pleasant smile which she had for all.

She united with the church many years ago, and was ever faithful to her vows to her Master.

She was a daughter of Samuel and Sarah (Good) Welty and is survived by three children, Roy of Philadelphia, Bertha and Nora at home, also one sister, Clara Senseney, wife of Elder E. M. Senseney of Union Bridge, Md. Funeral services were conducted in the "Prices Grove" church and her body was laid to rest in the "Green Hill" cemetery, Waynesboro, Pa., there to await the fulfilling of her hope, to wit the redemption of her body at the return of the Lord, whom she tried in weakness to serve.

Funeral by the Brethren.

H. G. Benedict.

HAY—In the bounds of the North Manchester Dist. of Church, Ind., Solomon Hay, son of Jacob and Elizabeth Hay, was born 4½ miles east of Silver Lake, Kosciusko Co., Ind., on March 22, 1850, and departed this life at his home in North Manchester, Ind., Jan. 13, 1934, at the age of 83 years, 9 mo., and 21 days. He was the last of a family of 13 children. He was united in marriage to Susannah A. Ulrey, Nov. 21, 1875. To this union 3 children were born, one son, Esta, preceded him in death. His companion passed away Sept. 3, 1889. He was again united in marriage to Sarah Metzger, Dec. 31, 1893. She passed away April 10, 1921. He was again united in marriage to Malinda Yoder, Nov. 9, 1922. He leaves to mourn his departure his third companion, 2 children, namely Albert Hay, of South Bend, Ind., and Martha Bainter, of Goshen, Ind. He also leaves one grand-daughter and many other relatives and friends. Bro. Solomon united with the Church in early life and remained in that faith until death. He was chosen to the deacon's office and labored faithfully in that calling for over 49 years.

O. A. Custer.

HOCKMAN— Anna F. Hockman, eldest daughter of Jacob and Elizabeth Crist, was born near North Hampton, Clarke Co., Ohio, Dec. 10, 1855; and departed this life at her home 2 miles east of North Hampton, O., Friday evening, Jan 12, 1934, aged 78 years, 1 mo., and 2 days.

Oct. 17, 1886 she was united in marriage to John M. Hockman at the home of her mother in Anderson Co., Kans. This union was blessed with two children, one daughter Effie and one son Noah.

She lived her entire life in Clark Co., Ohio, with the exception of about 8 months spent in Anderson Co., Kans.

Returning with her husband to Ohio, they took up their abode at Eagle City, O., for a period of 18 years; then she moved to the home where she passed quietly to her eternal reward, following an illness of about 10 days from Bronchial and Heart trouble. She endured her last sickness with Christian patience; and realizing her condition she called for the elders of the Church and was anointed with oil in the name of the Lord, according to the instructions of the Apostle James, which act gave her so much comfort and consolation.

She united with the Church of her choice at the age of 17 years and lived an exemplary Christian life in the cause of her Master unto the end.

She served with her husband in the office of a deacon for over 40 years, being always willing to assist him in the duties of his office. She identified herself with the Covington Petition Movement in 1922.

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She united with the church many years ago, and was ever faithful to her vows in her Master.

She was a daughter of Samuel and Sarah (Good) Wiley and is survived by three children, Roy of Philadelphia, Bertha and Nora at home, also one sister, Clara Sensenny, wife of Elder E. M. Sensenny of Union Bridge, Md. Funeral services were conducted in the "Pipes Grove" church, and her body was laid to rest in the "Green Hill" cemetery, Waynesboro, Pa., there to await the fulfilling of her hope, to wit: the redemption of her body at the return of the Lord, whom she died in weakness to serve.

Funeral by the Brethren.

E. C. Baugher.

HAY—In the church of the Brethren Manchester Dist. of Church, Ind., Solomon Hay, son of Jacob and Catherine Hay, was born 4 in miles east of Silver Lake, Kosciusko Co., Ind., on March 22, 1850, and departed this life at his home in North Manchester, Ind., Jan. 13, 1934, at the age of 83 years, 9 mo., and 23 days. He was the last of a family of 12 children. He was united in marriage to Susanna A. Tilney, Nov. 21, 1872. To this union 8 children were born, one son, Ezra, preceded him in death. His companion passed away Sept. 6, 1899. He was again united in marriage to Sarah Metzger, Jan. 11, 1900. She passed away April 10, 1921. He was again united in marriage to Matilda Yoder, Nov. 6, 1922. He leaves to mourn his departure his third wife, 2 children, 2 children, namely, Albert Hay, of South Bend, Ind., and Mrs. Barbara, of Goshen, Ind. He also leaves one stepdaughter and many other relatives and friends. Bro. Solomon united with the Church at early

life and remained in that faith until death. He was loyal to the church's office and labored tenaciously in that calling for over 40 years.

C. A. Cupper.

HOCKMAN—Anna T. Hockman, oldest daughter of Jacob and Elizabeth Kintner, was born near North Hampton, Clarke Co., Ohio, Dec. 10, 1857; and departed this life at her home 2 miles east of North Hampton, O., Friday evening, Jan. 12, 1934, at the age of 76 years, 1 mo., and 2 days.

On Oct. 17, 1878, she was married in marriage to John M. Hockman at the home of her mother in Madison Co., Kans. This union was blessed with two children, one daughter Effie and one son Noah.

She lived her entire life in Clark Co., Ohio, with the exception of about 8 months spent in Madison Co., Kans.

Believing with her husband to Christ, they took his vows about at Pleasant Ridge, O., and a period of 56 years, then she moved to the home where she passed quietly to her eternal rest, following an illness of about 20 days from Bronchial and Heart trouble. She entered her last sickness with Christian patience and resignation. Her conduction was called for the church of the Church, and was anointed with oil in the name of the Lord, according to the instructions of the Apostle James, which she gave has so much comfort and consolation.

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She leaves with her husband in the office of a deacon for over 40 years, being always willing to assist him in the duties of his office. She assisted herself with the Covington Prayer Meeting in 1905.

She always manifested a kind and loving disposition in her home and family, in the church and in the community in which she lived.

Surviving are her husband, the daughter Effie, at home; and her son, Noah of Springfield, Ohio, R. D. No. 2, and three grandchildren, besides one sister, Elizabeth Hirt of Harris, Kans., and a host of relatives and friends.

Mother is gone but not forgotten, as we believe she is basking in smiles of her Savior in the Realms of the blest.

Funeral services were conducted at the Walnut Grove House Tues., Jan. 16; 2:00 P. M., by Elders Harvey Bowman and Henry Fisher, from II Tim. 4:6-8 and Rev. 14:12-13 to a large congregation of sympathizing relatives and friends. Hymns used 385, 392, 396, 384, 400. Interment in Myers Cemetery.

—The Family.

HUNSAKER — Brother Caleb Hunsaker, the son of John and Cathrine (Hufford) Hunsaker, was born near Logan, Hocking Co., O., June 19, 1848; departed this life at the home of his son, Thomas Hunsaker, near Grover Hill, Ohio, Jan 6th, 1934, aged 85 years, 6 mos., 18 da. He was united in marriage to Cathrine Mowery Jan 31, 1869. She preceded him in death, July 28, 1928. To this union were born twelve children, five sons, namely: Noah, of Torance, Ohio, Charles, of Lima, Ohio, Daniel, of Elida, Ohio, Thomas and Amos of Grover Hill, Ohio; seven daughters, Ida Dearing and Nancy deceased, Cora Reed, Lima, Ohio, Ellen Foster, of Ohio City, Ohio, Bertha Denlinger, of Whittier, California, Mary Thomas, of Lima, Ohio, Jennie McMichael, of Grover Hill, Ohio; sixty grand-children, 14 deceased, thirty-six great-grand-children, 6 deceased. Father united with the Old German Baptist church, June 19, 1870, was elected to the ministry July 10th, 1883, and some years later to the full ministry, made many journeys to churches of his faith, to tell the story of salvation. He was afflicted with paralysis for 7 years and was confined to his bed for 5½ years, but bore his affliction with much patience. He remembered the instructions of the apostle and called for the elders of the church and was anointed.

We feel that father lived and died in the faith of the gospel. The family has lost a devoted father, the church a brother; but we should not weep as those that have no hope, but feel our loss is his gain.

Funeral conducted at Ash Grove church house, near Lima, Ohio, by brother Solomon Stoner, assisted by the home brethren, to a large congregation of members and friends. Burial at Salem Cemetery, near by.

The Children.

LAUVER— A. G. Curtin Lauver was the son of John and Susannah Hoffman Lauver. He was born April 15th, 1863, at Harrisburg, Penna. Died at his home in Brookville, Ohio, Jan. 25th, 1934, at the age of 70 years, 9 months, 10 days. He was one of a family of fourteen children. He moved to Ohio with his parents at the age of 3 years. Thirty-five years ago he united with the Lutheran Church at Liberty, Ohio. Ten weeks prior to his death he applied for membership with the Old German Baptist Church of which his wife had been a member for a number of years, and was received as an applicant for baptism in the Wolf Creek District. Although he desired to have the ordinance administered, his physical disability for-

bade it. On October 8th, 1885 he was united in marriage to Mary Elizabeth Comer, by Resin Stephens of Eldorado, Ohio. To this union were born 3 sons and 1 daughter. Two of the sons died in infancy. He leaves to mourn their loss his companion, Mary Elizabeth, 1 daughter, Mrs. Eva Neiswonger, of Greenville, Ohio, 1 son, Perry, of Brookville, 4 grandchildren, 1 brother, Ira Lauver, of Brookville, and a host of other relatives and friends. The funeral was held at the Wolf Creek M. H., 2 P. M., Jan 27th, to a large audience, conducted by Bro. Ervan Eikenberry assisted by the undersigned. Burial at Eversole cemetery.

J. M. Kimmel.

LENHERR— Donald Harvey and Donavan Harry, infant sons of Mr. and Mrs. Reid D. Lenherr, and grandsons of Brother Harvey and Sister Carrie Snowberger, of Franklin Co., Pa., were born Dec. 14, 1933 and their spirits went to be with God who gave them.

Surviving besides the parents, are three brothers, Robert, Eugene and Reid David, Jr., all at home. One brother, Richard, died in 1916 at the age of 18 days.

On December 15, their bodies were laid beside that of little Richard in Green Hill Cemetery, near Waynesboro, Pa. By the Family.

McNABB—Sister Matilda, daughter of Benjamin and Leah Bollinger, was born near Akron, Summit Co., Ohio, May 12, 1864. Departed this life after a long illness, Jan. 11, 1934, aged 69 years, 7 months, 29 days. She came with her parents to Carson City Mich., at the age of 18 years.

She was united in marriage to John McNabb, Sept. 25, 1888, and settled in New Haven township, near Ithica, Mich., where they have lived ever since. She united with the Old German Baptist church in 1898 and lived a true and devoted Christian life until death. She leaves to mourn her departure, her companion, John McNabb, two daughters, Mrs. Lula Arnold, of New Haven, Mrs. Ruby Miller of Ithica, one son, Ben, at home, seven grand-children, two sisters and two brothers, many nieces and nephews and a host of friends.

She was a devoted companion, a loving mother and a good neighbor. What is our great loss is her eternal gain.

Funeral services conducted in the Church of God, two miles west of their home, by the undersigned assisted by H. E. Brovont and a minister of the Church of the Brethren, J. E. Sherrick. Interment in the near by cemetery. A. Balsbaugh.

METZGER—In the bounds of the North Manchester Dist. of Church, Ind., Mary A. Metzger, daughter of Daniel and Lydia Metzger, was born near north Manchester, Wabash county, Indiana, July 26, 1890. Departed this life near Urbana, Indiana, in the evening of January 17, 1934, making her age 43 years, 5 months, 21 days.

She was united in marriage to Owen E. Metzger on November 22, 1914.

She leaves to mourn her early departure, a loving husband, and Mother, two brothers, viz. Ralph E., and Glen L. Metzger, all living near North Manchester, Indiana, with many other relatives and friends.

She united with the Old German Baptist Church early in life, at the age of 16 years, to which she remained a faithful and consistent member until God called her spirit home. Her illness was of short duration.

Her passing to the great beyond is our great loss. But we cherish the

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McKeeb, two daughters, Mrs. Lulu
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J. E. Shearer. Interment in the
near by cemetery. A. Inlaw.

SNEYZER—In the County of the
South Manchester line of Church,
Ind., Mary A. Mayers, daughter of
Daniel and Lydia Mayers, was born
near north Manchester, Wabash coun-
ty, Indiana, July 26, 1839. Departed
this life near Urbana, Ind. in the
evening of January 17, 1924, making
her age 84 years, 6 months, 21 days.

She was united in marriage to
Owen E. Sneyzer on November 22,
1874.

She leaves to mourn her early de-
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er, two sisters, viz. Emily E. and
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Funeral conducted in the North Manchester Church by Elder Solomon Stoner and the Home Brethren.

O. A. Custer.

MILLER—In the bounds of the Goshen Dist., of Church, Elkhart Co., Ind., Alpheus Miller, son of Daniel S. and Susan Miller, was born in Union Township, Elkhart Co., Ind., April 12, 1873. He was of a family of 9 children. Those surviving are Mrs. Mary Miller of Wakarusa, Ind., Josiah, of Goshen, Joe, of Long Beach, Calif., Dan of Camden, Ind., Jacob, William, Leander, and David, of Waukarusa, Ind. He became sick Saturday eve., Dec. 30, 1933, and on Sunday morning had a severe heart attack, and at 7:30 A. M., God relieved him of his suffering and called him out of time into eternity at the age of 60 years, 8 months and 19 days. On July 7, 1896 he was married to Clara L. Penrose. Three children came to bless this union, two girls and one boy, namely: Mrs. Lowel Frederick of Bremen, Ind., and Charles and Verna at home. In the year 1907 he accepted Christ as his Savior and united with the Old German Baptist Church and remained faithful with that body until death. He was a kind husband and father and provided well for the needs of his family. He lived all his life in and around Wakarusa, Ind. He leaves his companion, 3 children, 2 grandchildren 1 sister, 7 brothers and many other relatives and friends.

Funeral conducted by the writer in the Christian church in Wakarusa, Ind. Text: Psalm 39:4.

O. A. Custer.

ROYER—Urias Royer, son of Isaac and Sarah Royer, was born in Stark Co. (Lake Tp.) Ohio, Oct. 26, 1845. Died at his home near his birthplace in the Nimishilla church dist., Jan. 12, 1934, aged 88 years, 2 mo., 26 days.

He was united in marriage to Sarah Bollinger from near East Liberty, Summit Co., Ohio, 1873, who preceded him in death Dec. 1, 1922—11 years ago. To this union were born two sons, Edward, the older residing near Rossville, Ind., Noah at home in the life long residence of 60 years of the parents.

Father leaves to mourn his departure five grand-children, two great-grandchildren. He was brother to two older sisters who preceded him in death, also a younger sister, Sarah Kinsley who resides near Hartville. Four younger brothers: Levi resides near Hartville, Joseph of Alberta, Canada, deceased, Isaac of Mich., deceased; Aaron, the youngest of the family, near Hartville.

They united themselves with the church of their choice in their early years. Our fond hope of his departure is his eternal gain.

Funeral Monday, Jan. 15, conducted by Elder G. P. Custer, assisted by the home Brethren from Rev. 14:12, 13. Burial in Mt. Pleasant Cemetery, Stark Co., arm of church.

The Family.

SIMMONS — Emaline Simmons, daughter of Abraham and Elizabeth (Burkholder) Wingert, was born Oct. 31, 1848, near Newburg, Cumberland County, Pennsylvania; and departed this life at 11:15 P. M., Dec. 30, 1933; having reached the age of 85 years, 1 month and 29 days.

She, with her parents, came west to Ohio when about 20 years of age, and the remainder of her life was spent in Clark Co., Ohio, except about 20 years of married life spent in Darke Co., Ohio. After the death of her mother she continued to make a home

load embraces that over less or her eternal rest.

Funeral conducted in the Health Manchester Church by Elder Solomon Stoner and the Home Brethren.

O. A. Carter.

MILLER—In the hospital at the Cedars Home, at Canton, Elkhart Co., Ind., Alpheus Miller, son of David S. and Susan Miller, was born in Tipton Township, Elkhart Co., Ind., April 12, 1873. He was of a family of 9 children. These survivors are Mrs. Mary Miller of Wakarusa, Ind., Joshua of Goshen, Ind., of Long Beach, Calif.; Ilan of Camden, Ind., Jacob, William, Lamber, and David, of Wakarusa, Ind. He became sick Saturday eve., Dec. 30, 1930, and on Sunday morning had a severe heart attack, and at 7:30 A. M., God relieved him of his suffering and called him out of time into eternity at the age of 57 years, 8 months and 18 days. On July 7, 1896 he was married to Clara E. Teeter. Three children came to bless this union, two girls and one boy, namely: Mrs. Lowel Fredericks of Bremen, Ind., and Chester and Verna at home. In the year 1907 he accepted Christ as his Savior and united with the Old German Baptist Church and remained faithful with that body until death. He was a kind husband and father and provided well for the needs of his family. He lived all his life in and around Wakarusa, Ind. He leaves his companion, 3 children, 2 grandchildren, 1 sister, 7 brothers and many other relatives and friends.

Funeral conducted by the writer in the Christian church in Wakarusa, Ind. Text: Psalm 39:4.

O. A. Carter.

HOYER—Vinna Hoyer, son of Isaac and Susan Hoyer, was born in Stark Co., Ohio, Oct. 26, 1848. He died at his home near Tuscarawas, Ohio, Jan. 12, 1931, aged 82 years, 2 mo., 24 days.

He was united in marriage to Sarah Rodinger first near East Liberty, Summit Co., Ohio, 1878, who preceded him in death Dec. 1, 1922—11 years ago. To this union was born two sons, Edward, the older, residing near Dennville, Ind., died at home in the life long residence of 60 years of the deceased.

Father leaves to mourn his departure five grandchildren, two great grandchildren. He was brother to two older sisters who preceded him in death, also a younger sister, Sarah Rinsky, who resides near Harrville. Four younger brothers, Lael residing near Harrville, Joseph of Alberta, Canada, deceased, Isaac of Mich., deceased, Aaron, the youngest of the family, near Harrville.

They united Christian life with the church of their choice in their early years. Our text was one of his favorite texts in his earnest years.

Funeral Sunday, Jan. 15, conducted by Elder O. P. Carter, assisted by the home Brethren from Rev. 14:12, 13. Buried in Mt. Pleasant Cemetery, Stark Co., Ohio.

The Family.

SHUMWAY — Emaline Simmons, daughter of Abraham and Elizabeth (Hershberger) Wagner, was born Oct. 25, 1848, near Newburg, Cuyahoga County, Connellsville, and departed this life at 11:30 P. M., Dec. 30, 1930, having reached the age of 82 years, 1 month and 20 days.

She, with her parents, came west to Ohio when about 20 years of age, and the remainder of her life was spent in Clark Co., Ohio, except about 30 years of married life spent in Darke Co., Ohio. After the death of her husband she continued to make a home for herself and her children, and was a member of the Church of God.

Died at his home near his birthplace in the Nineveh church, Jan. 12, 1931, aged 82 years, 2 mo., 24 days.

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In early life she united with the Old German Baptist Church to which faith she remained consistent and steadfast until called to her eternal reward.

Her last illness was of but three days' duration. On the morning of her death she suffered a paralytic stroke and about fifteen hours later suffered a second stroke and peacefully, her spirit took its flight to God who gave it.

She leaves one brother, Abraham B. Wingert, of Springfield, O., and one sister, Amanda Heck, widow of the late Peter Heck of Harris, Kans. and a number of nieces and nephews, besides other relatives and friends. She will be missed in her circle of relatives and friends, but we feel that our loss is her eternal gain.

Funeral services by the home brethren, at the Walnut Grove House, Tues., Jan. 2, 1934, at 2:00 P. M., from Rev. 20:6. Her body awaits the resurrection on the family lot in Ream's Cemetery.

M. A. Hockman.

WRAY—Catherine Wray, daughter of Bro. Benjamin anod Sister Mary Leprade, was born Jan. 25th, 1860, and quietly passed away Nov. 3rd, 1933 at the age of 73 years, 9 months and 9 days.

On Nov. 3rd, 1881, she was united in marriage to Joseph Henry Wray. To this union were born ten children. The husband and 2 children preceded her in death. She is survived by 5 sons and three daughters, fifteen grandchildren and one great-grand-child, also three brothers. On Oct. 4th, 1892 the family moved to Miami Co., Ind., and on Feb. 22nd, 1897 they moved to Franklin, Kans., locating in the Eight mile dist., of church, where she resided until her death.

Her son, Jesse, was living in the home with mother at the time of her death. On Sun. of Sept. 10 they went to spend the evening with an aunt and while preparing to leave Mother took a stroke from which she never rallied. She was taken to her home and lived only eight weeks. Suffered much all her life. Mother complied with the requirements of the Lord to the extent of her ability setting an example to all, to do likewise. She called the Elders and was anointed according to James 5:14. At the age of sixteen years she joined the Old German Baptist church and lived faithful till death. She will be sadly missed in the home and in the church. Hoping we will all look well to the way of our going, may we remember father's and mother's good advice, live it out as best we can, hoping to meet some sweet day, never to part. The funeral was preached in the Eight Mile church by Elder Daniel

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Funeral services by the home brethren, at the Walnut Grove Church, Tues., Jan. 2, 1934, at 2:00 P. M. Interment follows. Her body awaits the resurrection on the family lot in Hanna's Cemetery.

M. A. Hockman.

WEAY—Catharine Weay, daughter of Bro. Benjamin and Sister Mary Lacombe, was born Jan. 23th, 1850, and quietly passed away Nov. 3rd, 1933 at the age of 73 years, 9 months and 9 days.

On Nov. 3rd, 1883, she was united in marriage to Joseph Henry Weay. To this union were born ten children. The husband and 3 children preceded her in death. She is survived by 5 sons and three daughters, fifteen grandchildren and one great-grandchild, also by three brothers. On Oct. 4th, 1922 the family moved to Mount Co., Ind., and on Feb. 22nd, 1927 they moved to Franklin, Kans., locating in the Eight mile dist., of church, where she resided until her death.

Her son, Jacob, was living at the home with mother at the time of her death. On Sun. of Sept. 10 they went to spend the evening with an aunt and while preparing to leave Mother took a stroke from which she never rallied. She was taken to her home and lived only eight weeks. Suffered much of her life. Sister complied with the requirements of the Lord to the extent of her ability, asking an example to all, to do likewise. She called the Elders and was anointed according to James 5:14. At the age of sixteen years she joined the Old German Baptist church and lived faithful till death. She will be sorely missed in the home and in the church. Nothing we can do will look well in the way of our grief, but we remember Father's sad mutterings, "Let sorrow live it out as best we can, coming to meet some sweet day, never to part." The funeral was preached in the Eight mile church by Elder Dennis

Flory and Bro. Isaac Montgomery, from 2nd Timothy, 4th chapter, 7th verse. The body was laid to rest in the Pleasant Hill cemetery beside that of her husband, to await the resurrection morn.

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By order of the church.

John F. Flora.

We, the members of the Antietam District, Franklin Co., Pa. have in union agreed and set apart May 12, 13 for our spring lovefeast at the Amsterdam M. H. The usual invitation is given to all, especially the ministry. Be with us.

In behalf of the church.

C. C. Frey.

We, the members of the Cedar Creek District, Anderson Co., Kans., have in union agreed to hold our communion, the Lord willing, Oct. 13 and 14, 1934, and we extend a hearty invitation to all, and especially the ministering Brethren.

In behalf of the church.

John H. Riffey.

OBITUARIES

LONGING FOR HOME

By Wm. Crowl

Take me home my dearest Saviour,
To the mansions in the skies;
I ask thee, dear Lord this favor,
To grant me this heavenly prize.
I am weary; I am weary;
Of the toils and of the strife;
Oh, behold this world, how dreary;
Grant me Lord eternal life.

Nothing here can give me pleasure,
Like the joys in heav'n above;
Oh, the rich and glorious treasure,
Of my Saviour's gracious love.
Oh, receive me; Oh, receive me;
To my heavenly home on high;
Oh, then I shall so happy be,
Let me then to heaven fly.

DAVISON — Mildred Margaret Davison, daughter of William B. and Sister Mary S. Collins, departed this life Feb. 21, 1934, in the Greenville, Ohio, hospital, after a brief illness. She was born Nov. 16, 1900, at Gettysburg, Ohio. With her parents she lived on a farm near Circle Hill and in Covington, Ohio for a few years, and then came to Painter Creek, Ohio, which was her home ever since.

She lived 33 years, 3 months and five days. She was preceded in death by her father who died when Mildred was six years old, and for many years the burden of helping to provide the necessities of life for her mother and sister rested largely on her shoulders.

On Jan. 28, 1920 she was converted to the Christian faith at West Grove Christian church and June 13, 1920 was baptized. She was a faithful attendant at church services and lived a happy and consistent life to the end.

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Let me then to heaven fly.

DAVISON — Sister Margaret Davison, daughter of William R. and Sister Mary E. Stone, departed this life Feb. 27, 1934, in the 6 year, Ohio, Dayton, after a brief illness. She was born May 10, 1906, at Centerburg, Ohio. With her parents she lived on a farm near Stone Hill and in Columbus, Ohio for a few years, and then came to Palmer Creek, Ohio, which was her home ever since.

She lived 28 years, 3 months and 20 days. She was preceded in death by her father, who died when Mother was six years old, and for many years the burden of helping to provide the necessities of life for her mother and sister rested largely on her shoulders.

On June 3, 1928 she was married to the Rev. Elias Davison of West Carrollton, Ohio, and from its origin was happiness. She was a faithful attendant in church service and lived a loyal and consistent life to the end.

On Oct. 7, 1928 she was united in

marriage to Mr. George E. Davison. Although this union was of short duration it was perhaps the happiest period of her life. She leaves to mourn her untimely departure a loving husband, a mother, one sister, Hazel, one stepson, John Davison, one step-daughter, Laura Davison, also many other relatives and friends.

The funeral was held at the West Grove Christian church, a large concourse of friends attending. Burial in Sugar Grove cemetery, Miami Co., Ohio.

Hazel Collins, sister.

GANER—Solomon C. Ganer, son of Samuel and Elizabeth Ganer, was born in Barbour Co., W. Va., June 30, 1841; departed this life Feb. 3, 1934, aged 92 years, 8 months and 3 days, at the home of his daughter, Maddie Green, Doxey, Okla., at which place he had made his home the past six years.

He was a Civil War veteran and carried a mark of the service to his grave.

On March 11, 1866, he was united in marriage to Mary Jane Adams. To this union were born 13 children, of whom there survive Elberta Heckman, Osceola, Neb.; Elizabeth Kennedy, Sawyer, Kans.; Samuel Ganer, Deer Creek, Okla.; Elzinia Kline, Mayfield, Okla.; Louisa Itter, Okla. City, Okla.; Jesse Ganer and Maddie Green, Doxey, Okla.; Cleveland Ganer, Elk City, Okla.; Mildred Fry, Freeport, Mich.

He and his wife united with the Old German Baptist church in the year 1869 and he lived loyal to his profession until death.

In about the year 1885 they moved to Neb., later 1901 to Okla. where he resided the rest of his life. For many years he was a minister of the Gospel and preached at different schoolhouses. He also served as elder for the past nine years. Grandpa was a loving and affectionate husband, father, grandfather and great-grandfather and will be greatly missed in the home, the church and the community.

His life was one of activity and rare health until six years ago when he became afflicted with paralysis from which he never fully recovered. However, it was only during the last year that he suffered greatly. The last two months he was bedfast, but his pain was not acute until the last two weeks of his life.

During his illness (in Aug.) he called for the elders of the church and he was anointed with oil, according to James 5th. chapter.

He leaves to mourn his departure his aged companion, nine children, 51 grandchildren and 35 great-grandchildren. Four children, nine grandchildren and one great-grandchild preceded him in death.

Bro. Noah W. Garber, of Sawyer, Kans. assisted by Bro. S. R. Wells, conducted the funeral services. The 34th. Psalm was read at the home followed by prayer, after which further services were administered at the auditorium, at Doxey. Text used: 2 Tim. 4:6,7,8. Also Psalm 116:15. All the three sons and six daughters were present at the funeral service after which the body was laid to rest in the Doxey-Sayre cemetery, beside that of a granddaughter, to await the resurrection morn.

"Peace to his ashes." May our loss be his eternal gain.

The Family.

GARBER — Elizabeth E. Garber, daughter of Jonathan and Catherine Garber, was born near New Lebanon, Ohio, Jan 1, 1848. Died Jan 9, 1934, on the same farm she had lived all her life.

marriage to Mr. George E. Davison. Although this union was of short duration it was perhaps the happiest period of her life. She leaves to mourn her untimely departure a loving husband, a mother, one sister, Hazel, one stepson, John Davison, one step-daughter, Laura Davison, nine many other relatives and friends.

The funeral was held at the Wade Grove Christian church, a large concourse of friends attending. Burial in Sugar Grove cemetery, Adams Co., Ohio.

Hazel Collins, sister.

GAMES—Solomon E. Games, son of Samuel and Elizabeth Games, was born in Hardin Co., W. Va., May 30, 1841; departed this life Feb. 3, 1934, aged 92 years, 8 months and 3 days, at the home of his daughter, Matilda Green, Dewey, Okla., at which place he had made his home the past two years.

He was a Civil War veteran and carried a mark of the service to his grave.

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Sunday, Jan. Eleven (16, AM.) he called for the elders of the church and he was anointed with oil according to James 5th chapter.

He leaves to mourn his departure his aged companion, nine children, [illegible] grandchildren and [illegible] great-grandchildren. Four children, three grandchildren and one great-grandchild preceded him in death.

Rev. Noah W. Garber, of Sweetwater, assisted by Bro. S. B. Wade, conducted the funeral services. The ashes Dwelling was read at the home and later by request, after which funeral services were administered at the auditorium, at Dewey. Text used: 2 Tim. 4:7-8. Also Psalm 116:15. All the three sons and six daughters were present at the funeral service after which the body was laid to rest in the Dewey cemetery, beside that of a granddaughter, to await the resurrection morn.

"Peace be to thy dust, Nor our tears lament
In this eternal sleep
The Friend."

GARDNER — Elizabeth E. Gardner, daughter of Jonathan and Catherine Gardner, was born near Saw Lebanon, Ohio, Jan. 1, 1848. Died Jan. 9, 1934, on the same farm she had lived all her life.

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was evident. This she proved by sharing with her mother and sister Cassie, the happy privilege of mothering to manhood a nephew, Samuel, son of the deceased Eld., John B. Gascho, who lost his companion, the mother of Samuel, when he was but an infant.

Now she is departed and like the rose bush that withers and falls by the wayside, the sweetness, the fragrance of her life will be only a memory to her many relatives and friends.

A. Skiles.

GASCHO—Catherine B. Gascho, daughter of Christian and Mary M. Gascho was born near Noblesville, Ind., Oct. 11th, 1859 and departed this life, Feb. 11th, 1934, aged 75 years and four months.

Cassie had a genial nature and radiated sunshine wherever she went. She greeted all with a smile, a kind word and good wishes.

Cassie enlisted in the service of the Master early in life, and remained faithful to the end. While it was with difficulty that she moved about in recent years, she enjoyed most keenly the sacred services at our little church.

Those who worship there have been blessed by her sunshine and her smile. She will be missed in days to come; and those who knew the Gascho sisters can but say that their lives have been made better by them having passed this way.

Now they are both gone with only ten days between their going, leaving to mourn their loss one nephew, Fred Gascho, of Anderson, Ind., also Susanna, widow of the deceased nephew, Samuel Gascho, of Rossville, Ind., three nieces, Mrs. Martha Hinsman of Noblesville, Ind., Mrs. Lucy Shively and Mrs. Ruth Metzger, of Rossville, Ind., and many other relatives and friends.

The funeral services were conducted by the home brethren, Elder Solomon Stover and Elder Luther Stutzman at the home of the Gasche sisters and their bodies laid to rest in the Gasche cemetery near Mathersville.

A. Fisher.

MILLER—Ellen Miller was born at Roanoke, Va., Sept. 4, 1851; departed this life at her daughter's home in Kalamazoo, Mich., March 2, 1934, at the age of 82 years, five months and 26 days.

She was united in marriage with Colwell Wrightsman about 1868. To this union were born one son and two daughters. They are: Ada Wrightsman, Colfax, Wash., and Anna Faith, Kalamazoo, Mich.

She was married the second time to James F. Miller on Nov. 14, 1883. Early in life she became a member of the Old German Baptist church in which faith she remained until the Lord called her home.

She leaves one son, one daughter, one step-son, two step-daughters, two grand-children, 16 great-grandchildren, also one sister, Ida Rank, of Roanoke, Va., and many other kindred, relatives and friends who mourn their loss.

The body was laid to rest in the Covert, Mich., cemetery by the side of that of her second companion, to await the resurrection morn.

The Family.

MYNNICH—Amy Elizabeth Mynnich, daughter of John and Susanna Fagan, was born in Montgomery Co., Ohio, March 24, 1877 and departed this life, Feb. 12, 1934, aged 56 years, 10 months and 19 days.

At about the age of eight years she came to Miami Co. where she spent the rest of her life.

On Feb. 14, 1895 she was united in marriage to William Edward Mynnich. To this union were born five children, one of whom preceded her in death in infancy. Those left to mourn their loss are her son daughter and three sons, namely: Angenetta Garst, of West Milton, Ohio, with whom she made her home; George, Ohio, of Brookville, Ohio, Clarence Ray and Arthur Franklin, of Dayton, Ohio; her husband, two grand-children, Eileen and Dale Mynnich; two brothers, John Fagan, of Centerville, and Nick Fagan, of Covington, Ohio; one sister, Ida Huffman, of Clayton, Ohio; four half-brothers, Perry Grant and Forest Kauffman, of Dayton, Ohio and Jesse and Teddy Fagan, of Covington, Ohio; two half sisters, Essie Brewster, of Dayton, Ohio, and Ollie Angle, of Covington, Ohio; five stepsisters, Annie Dunlap, of Springfield and a host of other relatives and friends. One sister, Mary Tillson, and one half-sister, Martha Stover, preceded her in death.

A short time after her marriage she united with the Church of the Brethren at Pleasant Hill, Ohio. Some years after she transferred her membership to the United Brethren church at Vandalia, Ohio, in which she lived a consistent member until her death.

She was a loving and faithful companion, a kind and gallant mother and a good neighbor, always willing to lend a helping hand, and was loved by all who knew her. She will be greatly missed in the home, church and neighborhood. She bore her affliction which lasted about two weeks with much patience and Christian fortitude.

Funeral services were held at the Covington meeting-house, conducted by Nancy G. Fisher and the undersigned, to a large and attentive congregation of neighbors and friends.

The funeral services were conducted by the home brethren, Elder Solomon Stoner and Elder Luther Shuman at the home of the Gascho sisters and their bodies laid to rest in the Gascho cemetery near Noblesville.

A. Skiles.

MILLER—Eliza Miller was born at Roanoke, Va., Sept. 4, 1851; departed this life at her daughter's home in Kalamazoo, Mich., March 2, 1934, at the age of 82 years, five months and 26 days.

She was united in marriage with Gideon Wrightsman about 1885. To this union were born one son and one daughter. They are Asa Wrightsman, Coloma, Mich. and Anna Frith, Kalamazoo, Mich.

She was married the second time to James T. Miller on Nov. 16, 1893. Early in life she became a member of the Old German Baptist church in which faith she remained until the Lord called her home.

She leaves one son, one daughter, one step-son, two step-daughters, two grand-children, 16 step-grand-children, also one sister, Ida Ronk, of Roanoke, Va. and many other distant relatives and friends who mourn their loss.

The body was laid to rest in the Covert, Mich. cemetery by the side of that of her second companion, to await the resurrection morn.

The Family.

MINNICH—Amy Elizabeth Minnich, daughter of John and Susannah Rapp, was born in Montgomery Co., Ohio, March 14, 1873 and departed this life, Feb. 12, 1934, aged 60 years, 10 months and 29 days.

At about the age of eight years she came to Miami Co. where she spent the most of her life.

On Feb. 14, 1895 she was united in marriage to William Edward Minnich. To this union were born five children, one of whom preceded her in death in infancy. Those left to mourn their loss are her one daughter and three sons, namely Annabelle Gates, of West Milton, Ohio, with whom she made her home; George Earl, of Brookville, Ohio; Clarence Ray and Arthur Franklin, of Dayton, Ohio; her husband, two grand-children, Eileen and Dale Minnich; two brothers, John Rapp, of California and Sam Rapp, of Covington, Ohio; one sister, Ida Huffman, of Clayton, Ohio; four half-brothers, Perry Comer and David Rapp, of Dayton, Ohio and Jesse and Fridly Rapp, of Covington, Ohio; two half sisters, Susie Bowman, of Dayton, Ohio, and Ollie Angle, of Covington, Ohio; one step-sister, Anna Davis, of Michigan; and a host of other relatives and friends. One sister, Mary Wilson, and one half-sister, Martha Stone, preceded her in death.

A short time after her marriage she united with the Church of the Brethren at Pleasant Hill, Ohio. Some years after she transferred her letter to the United Brethren church at Verona, Ohio, to which she lived a consistent member until her death.

She was a loving and faithful companion, a kind and patient mother and a good neighbor, always willing to lend a helping hand, and was loved by all who knew her. She will be greatly missed in the home, church and neighborhood. She bore her afflictions which lasted about two weeks with much patience and Christian fortitude.

Funeral services were held at the Covington meeting-house, conducted by Henry G. Fisher and the undersigned, to a large and attentive congregation of neighbors and friends.

The funeral services were conducted by the same brethren, Elder Solomon Stoner and Elder Luther Shuman at the home of the deceased sister and their bodies laid to rest in the Oneida cemetery near Medonville.

A. Stoner.

MIDLER.—Ellen Midler was born at Roanoke, Va., Sept. 4, 1851; departed this life at her daughter's home in Salamanca, Mich., March 2, 1934, at the age of 82 years, five months and 26 days.

She was married in marriage with Gideon Wrightman about 1870. To this union were born one son and one daughter. They are Ada Wrightman, Cadmus, Mich., and Anna Frick, Salamanca, Mich.

She was received the second time to James T. Miller on Nov. 16, 1894. Early in life she became a member of the Old German Baptist church in which faith she remained until the Lord called her home.

She leaves one son, one daughter, one son-in-law, two son-in-law, two grandchildren, 16 great-grandchildren, also one sister, Ida Bowen, of Roanoke, Va., and many other dear relatives and friends who mourn their loss.

The body was laid to rest in the Covert, Mich. cemetery by the side of that of her second companion, to await the resurrection morn.

The Family.

MINNICH.—Amy Elizabeth Minnich, daughter of John and Susanna Hupp, was born in Montgomery Co., Ohio, March 14, 1873 and departed this life, Feb. 12, 1934, aged 60 years, 10 months and 29 days.

At about the age of eight years she came to Milford Ch. where she on Feb. 14, 1895 she was united in matrimony to William Edward Minnich. To this union were born five children, one of whom preceded her in death in infancy. There left to mourn their loss are her one daughter and three sons, namely Annabelle Oates, of Mifflin, Ohio, with whom she made her home; George Earl, of Mansfield, Ohio; Clarence Ray and Arthur Franklin, of Dayton, Ohio; her husband, two grand-children, Jean and Dale Minnich, two brothers, John Hupp, of Cincinnati, Ohio and Christopher, of Dayton, Ohio; one sister, Fanny Oates and David Hupp, of Dayton, Ohio and three aunts, namely Hupp, of Cincinnati, Ohio, two half sisters, Susie Rennard, of Dayton, Ohio, and Julia Angel, of Cincinnati, Ohio; one step-sister, Anna Davis of Middletown and a host of other relatives and friends. One sister, Mary Wilson, and one half-sister, Martha Stone, preceded her in death.

A short time after her marriage she united with the Church of the Brethren at Pleasant Hill, Ohio. Some years after she transferred her membership to the United Brethren church at Verona, Ohio, to which church she lived a consistent member until her death.

She was a loving and faithful companion, a kind and patient mother and a good neighbor, always willing to help a suffering fellow, and was loved by all who knew her. She will be greatly missed in the home, church and neighborhood. She bore her affliction which lasted about two weeks with much patience and Christian fortitude.

Funeral services were held at the Carrington meeting house, conducted by Brethren C. Tyler and the undersigned, to a large and attentive congregation of neighbors and friends.

Interment in the Carrington cemetery.

J. Ulrich.

Burial in the Highland cemetery at Covington, Ohio. P. D. Bowman.

NESS—Bro. Thomas Ness, son of the late Geo. and Mary Ness, was born in York Co., Pa., April 16, 1862; departed this life Feb. 16, 1934, aged 71 years, 10 months. He was a member of the Church of the Brethren about 40 years, but about 10 years ago he with his dear companion, daughter and son-in-law, united with the Old German Baptist church and lived very faithful till the Lord saw fit to call him from this world to the bright beyond.

His affliction was bladder trouble and his suffering intense which he bore with Christian faith and holy fortitude. His interest was for the welfare of the church and his dear family.

He leaves to mourn his departure a loving companion who suffered a stroke more than eight years ago, and a family of three sons and three daughters. Of the daughters, one preceded him in death on Sept. 25, 1930. There survive also 20 grand-children, 11 great-grandchildren, two brothers, three sisters and a host of friends.

His funeral was held in the East Codorus Church of the Brethren, near Loganville, Pa., by the writer to a large assembly of neighbors and friends. Text: Isa. 51:11. The body was laid to rest in the adjoining cemetery there to await the resurrection morn.

E. J. Gernand.

OZIAS—Cora V. Ozias, youngest daughter of Nathan and Sister Eliza J. Switzer, was born near West Manchester, Ohio, August 16, 1878. Departed this life at the age of 55 years, five months and 10 days on January 26, 1934 at the home of her daughter, Edna in Los Angeles, Calif.

She sought refuge in Christ at an early age, uniting with the Old German Baptist church in which she was found faithful until death, having been ever joyful in service for Him. Because of this, she endeared herself to many by whom she will be greatly missed.

In the year 1896 she was united in marriage to John F. Ozias, who preceded her in death by seven years.

To this union were born one daughter, Edna McKillen of Los Angeles, Calif., and two sons, Arthur J. Ozias, also of Los Angeles and Robert Lee Ozias, of Fresno, Calif.

She leaves to mourn her departure two sons, one daughter, one stepdaughter, Elizabeth C. Hand, of Coquille, Oregon, one step-son, Jesse R. Ozias, of Fullerton, Calif. and eight grandchildren, two preceding her in death. Remaining also are a brother, Albert A. Switzer. of Beaumont, Calif. and a sister, Susan C. Switzer, of Eaton, Ohio.

Her fortitude and patience throughout her long illness became a blessing to those about her. Her only desire being that the Lord's will be done.

Bro. J. E. Blickenstaff and the undersigned were called to Whittier to conduct the funeral of our dear sister, which was held at the Emerson White funeral chapel. Daniel Miller of the Church of the Brethren took part. Many scripture citations were used as a comfort to the bereaved as well as a warning to us that remain that we set our house in order, for saith the word, we shall die and not live. Our sister remembered the scriptural injunction and was anointed with oil in the name of the Lord. Thus has passed from time one who suffered much and anxiously awaited the summons, "Child come home." Peace to her ashes.

A. E. Miller.

Burial in the Highland cemetery at Covington, Ohio. F. D. Bowman.

MESS—Bro. Thomas Mess, son of the late Geo. and Mary Mess, was born in York Co., Pa., April 10, 1854; departed this life Feb. 19, 1924, aged 71 years, 10 months. He was a member of the Church of the Brethren about 40 years, but about 10 years ago he with his dear companion, daughter and son-in-law, united with the Old German Baptist church and lived very faithful till the Lord saw fit to call him from this world in the bright beyond.

His affliction was bladder trouble and his suffering intense when he bore with Christian faith and holy fortitude. His sickness was for the welfare of the church and his dear family.

He leaves to mourn his departure a loving companion who suffered a stroke more than eight years ago, and a family of three sons and three daughters. Of the daughters, one preceded him in death on April 22, 1920. There survive also 20 grandchildren, 11 great-grandchildren, two brothers, three sisters and a host of friends.

His funeral was held in the East Coderus Church of the Brethren, near Logansville, Pa., by the writer to a large assembly of neighbors and friends. Text: Isa. 38:11. The body was laid to rest in the adjoining cemetery there to await the resurrection morn.

E. J. Grimsley.

OZIAS—Cora V. Ozias, youngest daughter of Nathan and Sister Ellen J. Switzer, was born near New Lisbon, Ohio, August 16, 1878. On parted this life at the age of 55 years, five months and 10 days on January 26, 1924 at the home of her daughter, Edna in Los Angeles, Calif.

The younger years in Christ at an early age, uniting with the Old German Baptist church in which she was found faithful until death, having been ever joyful in service for Him. Because of this, she endeavored herself to enjoy by whom she will be greatly missed.

In the year 1898 she was united in marriage to John F. Ozias, who preceded her in death by seven years.

To this union were born one daughter, Elma Mae Miller of Los Angeles, Calif., and two sons, Arthur J. Ozias, also of Los Angeles, and Robert Ivan Ozias, of Fresno, Calif.

She leaves to mourn her departure two sons, one daughter, one stepdaughter, Elizabeth C. Bland, of Corvallis, Oregon, one step-son, Alvin E. Ozias, of Lillerton, Calif. and eight grandchildren, two preceding her in death. Remaining also are a brother, Albert A. Switzer, of Escondido, Calif. and a sister, Susan C. Switzer, of Boston, Ohio.

Her footsteps and patience through not far long illness became a blessing to those about her. Her only desire being that the Lord's will be done.

Bro. A. E. Hilscher and the undersigned were called to Waterloo to conduct the funeral of our dear sister, which was held at the Jackson White Funeral chapel. Bro. Miller of the Church of the Brethren took part. Many scripture quotations were used as a comfort to the bereaved as well as a warning to us that reunion that we yet may have in store, let them the word, we shall all not sleep. Our sister requested the accustomed injunction and was anointed, all in the name of the Lord. They has passed from time into eternal rest and entirely swaying the mourners, "Could come home." Peace to her ashes.

A. E. Miller.

WAMPLER—Maude Wampler was born May 29th, 1886, and died Feb. 4th, 1934 in Lower Stillwater district, Montgomery Co., Ohio, aged 48 years, nine months and four days.

Sister Maude was a sufferer with rheumatism many years, not being able to stand on her feet for over five years, and not able to lie down for over a year. She was tenderly cared for by the family.

Surviving her are her aged father, two brothers and three sisters, her mother having passed on some years ago.

Funeral services in the home by the Brethren, Feb. 6th and burial in the Lower Stillwater cemetery.

E. E. Hyre.

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Funeral services in the home by Eld. Brethren, Feb. 4th and buried in the Lower Stillwater cemetery.

E. E. Myers

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church have in union agreed to hold our Love Feast on Oct. 31st, 1934. We extend a hearty invitation to all the dear brethren and sisters and friends and children to come and be with on this occasion, and especially the ministering brethren.

In behalf of the church.

Jacob W. Skiles.

OBITUARIES

OUR DEPARTED FRIENDS

By Mary H. Skiles

"Why do we mourn departing friends
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O, tell me truly, are they not
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Why mourn, for they no longer bear
Their share of doubt and fear;
We love them, then why not rejoice
And dry the falling tear?

When dear friends leave us for a home
That's fairer far than this,
Why should we droop with tear-stained face
Forgetful of their bliss?

Could we but see beyond the veil
Their glorious, happy state
We'd start like Bunyan's Pilgrims did,
Toward the Heavenly gate.

Dear friends, sweet friends, the loved, not lost,
Who've passed from earthly pain,
We bow our hearts to bear our loss
And praise God for thy gain."

Selected by A. Skiles.

ARMSTRONG—John Henry Armstrong, eldest son of Bro. Jacob and Sister Lovina Armstrong, (deceased) was born in Darke Co., Ohio, Jan. 20, 1852; departed this life at the home of one of his daughters, March 3, 1934, at the ripe age of 82 years, 1 month and 11 days, being confined to his bed about five weeks. His suffering was almost unbearable, being cancer of the face, yet he bore his afflictions with Christian patience. About five weeks prior to his death he called for the Elders and was anointed with oil in the name of the Lord after which he was resigned to the will of God. We truly feel we need not sorrow, as those that have no hope.

On March 30, 1878 he was united in marriage to Amy M. Frey, who preceded him in death only about five months. Left to mourn are his three children, Lydia E. Filbrun, Myrtle J. Riffey and Harvey H. Armstrong, all of near Westphalia, Kans. Also 12 grandchildren and 11 great grandchildren, two half-brothers, one half sister and a host of other relatives and friends.

He was elected to the visit when quite young and with his companion served in that capacity for over 56 years. In 1885 they moved from Indiana to Kansas where they spent the remainder of their lives, in the Cedar Creek district. We feel that Father and Mother are happy over there, where sickness and sorrow never come. May we all strive to meet them, when our Master calls for us to cross the river of death.

Funeral conducted by the home Brethren to a large audience of relatives and friends. His body was laid to rest in the cemetery near their home.

The Children.

AUSTIN — Brother Sylvester Atwood Austin, son of Brother Sylvester Atwood and Sister Hester Ann (Rogers) Austin was born in Porter Co., Indiana on March 15th, 1862, departed this life at his home near Sedalia,

church have to order adopted to hold our Love Feast on Oct. 23rd, 1921. We extend a hearty invitation to all the dear brethren and sisters and friends and children to come and be with us on this occasion, and especially the ministering brethren.

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And praise God for thy gain."

Selected by A. Eaton.

ARMSTRONG—John Henry Armstrong, eldest son of Rev. Jacob and Sister Lavina Armstrong, (deceased) was born in Darke Co., Ohio, Jan. 29, 1852; departed this life at the home of one of his daughters, Nevada, Ohio, at the ripe age of 82 years, 1 month and 11 days, being confined to his bed about five weeks. His suffering was almost unbearable, being cancer of the face, yet he bore his affliction with Christian patience. About five weeks prior to his death he united with the Elders and was anointed with oil in the name of the Lord according which he was prepared to the will of God. We truly feel we need not sorrow, as those that have no hope.

On March 20, 1878 he was united in marriage to Anna M. Frey, who preceded him in death only about five months. Left to mourn are his three children, Lydia E. Fulkrum, Myrtle A. Tuttle and Harvey H. Armstrong, all of near Nevada, Ohio. Also 23 grandchildren and 11 great grandchildren, two half-brothers, one half-sister and a host of other relatives and friends.

He was elected to the visit when quite young and with his companion served in that capacity for over 40 years. In 1890 they moved from Indiana to Kansas where they spent the remainder of their lives, in the Cedar Creek district. We feel that Father and Mother are happy over there where sickness and sorrow never come. May we all strive to meet them when our Master calls for us to cross the river of death.

Funeral conducted by the home minister to a large assemblage of relatives and friends. His body was laid to rest in the cemetery near their home.

The Editors.

AIRITY — Brother Sylvester Airitywood Austin, son of Brother Sylvester Airitywood and Sister Hester Ann (Boggs) Airity was born in Porter Co., Indiana on March 14th, 1867, departed this life at his home near Sedalia,

Clinton Co., Ind. on April 9th, 1934 at the age of 72 years and 25 days. He moved with his parents to Jasper Co., Ind. near Wheatfield at the age of 13 years. On Jan. 15, 1888 he was united in marriage to Sister Amanda Root. To this union were born seven children, five sons and two daughters, namely, Alpha of near Rossville, Ind.; Harvey of near Pyrmont, Ind.; Maynard and Jesse of near Rossville, Ind.; Willie of near Sedalia, Ind.; Mary Flora of Lakeland, Fla. and Ruby Skiles of Sawyer, Kans.

At the time of his marriage he and his wife located on a farm near Wheatfield, Ind. where all the children were born and grew to man and womanhood. In Dec. 1919 he moved to the farm near Sedalia, Clinton Co., Ind. in the bounds of the Middle Fork Church where he continued to make his home till the time of his death.

His companion was called to her reward five years ago on March 12, 1929.

He and his companion were very much devoted to each other, and her death caused him great grief, from which time his health rapidly failed. His last sickness was of only eight days duration and he was seriously sick only three days. He united with the Old German Baptist church when only a young man and lived faithful till death. Most of the members having moved out of the Jasper Co. church and especially from the Wheatfield district, the family was much isolated while the children were growing up; but they adhered to the Bible teaching of a faithful father and mother and an occasional sermon from the brethren who would come and preach to them, and all the seven children came to the church in early life and are now faithful members. Two of the sons are now serving the Middle Fork, Ind. church in the ministry and deacon's office. He leaves to mourn, his seven children, 14 grandchildren, one brother and two sisters; but we believe our loss is his eternal gain.

Funeral was conducted by the home brethren from Rev. 14:12-13 in the Middle Fork church and laid to rest in the cemetery nearby.

Jacob W. Skiles.

BAILEY—Edwin Augustine Bailey, son of Allie B. and Mary (Garber) Bailey, and grandson of Brother Levi and Sister Lydia Garber, born in Pipecreek township, Miami county, near Peru, Indiana, September 6, 1912. Departed this life April 3, 1934, aged 21 years, six months and 27 days, at Irene Byron Sanitarium, Fort Wayne, Indiana, where he had been a patient since November 21, 1932.

He attended the local high school here and would have graduated with the class of 1932. But on account of ill health was forced to give up his school work, taking his bed March 3, 1932, slightly recovering the first of May. Took his bed again September 12, remaining bedfast until death.

He was a member of the Saint Johns Lutheran church and also a member of the Junior Walther League. He leaves to mourn his departure a father, mother and four sisters,—Adaline, Mercides and Lydia Ann at home and Elenora of Irene Byron Sanitarium, and Josephine preceeding him in death in 1920. One grandfather and grandmother, Brother Levi and Sister Lydia Garber of Peru, Indiana, and a host of other relatives and friends.

He bore his affliction with much patience and Christian fortitude.

The body was laid to rest in the Lutheran cemetery to await the resurrection morn.

The family.

Clinton Co., Ind., on April 6th, 1834 at the age of 72 years and 25 days. He moved with his parents to Jasper Co., Ind., near Wheatfield at the age of 12 years. On Jan. 15, 1858 he was united in marriage to Sister Amanda Zook. To this union were born seven children, five sons and two daughters, namely, Alpha of near Reynolds, Ind.; Harvey of near Fairmount, Ind.; Mahard and Peter of near Reynolds, Ind.; Willis of near Goshen, Ind.; Mary Flora of Indiana, Pa. and Rudy Stalter of Sawyer, Kans.

At the time of his marriage he and his wife located on a farm near Wheatfield, Ind. where all the children were born and grew to men and women hood. In Dec. 1893 he moved to the farm near Reynolds, Clinton Co., Ind. in the Beaver of the Middle Fork Church where he continued to reside his home till the time of his death.

His companion was called to her reward five years ago on March 12, 1929.

He and his companion were very much devoted to each other, and her death caused him great grief, from which time his health rapidly failed. His last sickness was of only eight days duration and he was actually sick only three days. He united with the Old German Baptist church when only a young man and lived faithful till death. Now at the meeting house near Wheatfield, Ind., the family was much isolated while the children were growing up; but they adhered to the Bible teaching of a faithful father and mother and an occasional sermon from the brethren who would come and preach to them, and all the seven children came to the church in early life and are now faithful members. Two of the sons are now serving the

May, and deacon's office. He leaves to mourn, his seven children, 14 grandchildren, one brother and two sisters; but we believe our loss is his eternal gain.

Funeral was conducted by the home brethren from Rev. 14:12-13 in the Middle Fork church and laid to rest in the cemetery nearby.

Jacob W. Stalter.

MARTY—Emma Augustine Martin, son of Adam B. and Mary (Garber) Marty, and grandson of Member Lewis and Sister Lydia Garber, born in Tipperary township, Miami county, near Troy, Indiana. Departed this life April 5, 1934, aged 51 years, six months and 27 days. At farm Byron Sanderson, Fort Wayne, Indiana, where he had been a patient since November 21, 1933.

He attended the local high school here and would have graduated with the class of 1898. But on account of ill health, was forced to give up his school work, taking his bed March 3, 1902, slightly recovering the first of May. Took his bed again September 12, remaining bedfast until death.

He was a member of the Saint Johns Lutheran church and also a member of the Junior Walther League. He leaves to mourn his departure a father, mother and two sisters—Matilda, Mercedes and Lydia Ann at home and Eleanor of Irene Bogan Sanatorium, and Joseph in preceding him in death in 1920. One grandfather and grandmother, Frederick Lewis and Sister Lydia Garber of Troy, Ind., Sister Lydia Garber of Troy, Indiana, and a host of other relatives and friends.

The body lie in state at the home three and Saturday afternoon.

The body was laid to rest in the Lutheran cemetery to await the resurrection morn.

BORTS—In Ludlow and Painter Cr. church, Darke Co., Ohio, Lavinia Isabel Borts, daughter of Henry and Ann C. Funderburgh, was born September 30th, 1863. Departed this life, March 6th, 1934, aged 70 years, five months and six days. She was united in marriage to David Borts April 30, 1887. To this union were born two sons—Jesse O. and Harry E. Her companion and eldest son preceded her in death. She united with the Old German Baptist church, October 5th, 1913 and remained faithful until death. She leaves to mourn her departure a son and a daughter-in-law, three grandsons, five granddaughters, four sisters and one brother, and a host of other relatives and friends.

Funeral at the Miller Grove meeting house by the Brethren, burial in the Mote cemetery.

C. A. Arnet.

BRUBAKER—In Kokomo, Howard Co., Ind., Mary Elizabeth, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. M. M. Brubaker, born March 29th, 1913; died March 6th, 1934, aged 20 years, 11 months and six days, after a brief illness of bronchial pneumonia. She was a graduate of Kokomo high school and employed as elevator operator where she made many friends.

She was a consistent member of the United Brethren church and had a loving disposition always greeting her many friends with a smile. She will be greatly missed in her home and by her friends.

The deceased is survived by the parents, one brother, George, at home and all four grandparents (Bro. Daniel Brubaker and wife and Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Hicks); also two uncles (Dr. E. H. Brubaker and William Hicks) and two aunts, (Miss Nina Hicks and Mrs. Viola Greider).

Funeral conducted at the home, 1313 S. Union St. by S. A. Wells. Interment in South Union cemetery, 10 miles west of Kokomo.

J. F. Eller.

BROWN—David Brown, son of John and Anna Brown, was born March 13, 1854 in Montgomery Co., Ohio, at his late home where he was found dead in his yard on March 10, 1934, from the effects of heart trouble, aged 79 years, 11 months and 26 days.

He had lived his entire life on the same place where he was born and had lived alone most of the time since the death of his sister, Lydia, who passed away in 1906. He was of a quiet unassuming disposition, an honest toiler, and respected by all his neighbors. He was the youngest of a family of nine children and the last to pass away.

He never identified himself with any church, but loved good literature and was a reader of The Vindicator.

The nearest relatives left behind are nephews and nieces.

Funeral services were held in the Lower Stillwater church, Ohio, March 13, by the Brethren from I Cor. 15:26.

David Mohler.

FISHER—Edna Violet Fisher, wife of Edward J. Fisher, of Waynesboro, Pa., died March 16, 1934, aged 49 years, nine months and 25 days. Her illness was of six months' duration, during which time she spent much of her time in reading the scriptures, as well as *"Ammi—My People"* and *"Neads' Theology,"* and then wanted to become a member of the Old German Baptist church. She was received as an applicant for baptism while she was in the Waynesboro Hospital. Although she expressed a great desire to be baptized in the body of Christ,

BOGGS—In Ludlow and Dalgety Cemetery, Dawson Co., Neb., Lavinia Isabel Burns, daughter of Henry and Ann C. Fawcett-Burns, was born September 30th, 1856. Departed this life, March 6th, 1939, aged 79 years, five months and six days. She was married in marriage to David Boggs April 30, 1887. To this union were born two sons—James O. and Harry E. Her companion and eldest son preceded her in death. She united with the Old German Baptist church, October 12th, 1913, and remained faithful until death. She leaves to mourn her departure a son and a daughter-in-law, three grandsons, five great-grandchildren, four sisters and one brother, and a host of other relatives and friends.

Funeral at the Mills Creek meeting house by the Brethren, buried in the Mills cemetery.

C. A. Arnold.

BRUNKSKER—In Kansas, Howard Co., Ind., Mary Elizabeth, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. M. M. Brubaker, born March 29th, 1914; died March 6th, 1934, aged 20 years, 11 months and six days, after a brief illness of bronchial pneumonia. She was a graduate of Kokomo high school and employed as clerk-typist, later taking care made many friends.

She was a consistent member of the United Brethren church and had a loving disposition always exercise her many friends with a smile. She will be greatly missed in her home and by her friends.

The deceased is survived by the parents, one brother, George, at home and all four grandparents (Mr. Daniel Brubaker and wife and Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Hicks); also two uncles (Dr. E. H. Brubaker and William Hicks) and two aunts, (Mrs. Nina Hicks and Mrs. Viola Grisley).

Funeral conducted at the home, [illegible] S. Union St. by E. A. Wells, Interment at South Union cemetery, 10 miles west of Kokomo.

J. F. Hiller.

BROWN—David Brown, son of John and Anna Brown, was born March 12, 1856 in Montgomery Co., Ohio, at his late home where he was found dead in his yard on March 19, 1934. From the effects of heart trouble, aged 77 years, 11 months and 28 days.

He had lived his entire life on the same place where he was born and had lived alone most of the time since the death of his sister, Lydia, who passed away in 1909. He was of a quiet, unassuming disposition, an honest upright, and respected by all his neighbors. He was the youngest of a family of nine children and the last to pass away.

He never identified himself with any church, but lived good Christian life and was a reader of The Vindicator.

The funeral services were held in the Lower Smithville church, Ohio, March 21, by the Brethren from 1 Cor. 15:26.

Lloyd Mohler.

FISHER—Edna Viola Fisher, wife of Edward L. Fisher, of Waynesboro, Pa., died March 16, 1934, aged 42 years, nine months and 28 days. Her illness was of six months' duration, during which time she spent much of her time in reading the scriptures, as well as "Karma—My People" and "Among Theosophy," and then wished to become a member of the Church of the Brethren church. She was anxiously looking for an opportunity for baptism while she was in the Waynesboro Hospital. Although she expressed a great desire to be baptized in the body of Christ,

was not permitted to do so because of physical disability, and after several months of suffering, which she bore with much patience she passed to the great beyond from which no traveler returns. "Will not the God of all the earth do right?"

She is survived by her husband and five children. Funeral by home brethren assisted by J. W. Royer, of Union Bridge, Md.

H. G. Benedict.

GANER — Betty Jane, infant daughter of Bro. Jess and Sister Emma Ganer, was born in Beckham Co., near Sayre, Okla., Feb. 18, 1931 and departed this life March 30, 1934, aged three years, one month and 12 days, after a brief illness of measles, pneumonia and colitis. Her stay here was short but always happy. She sang a great part of her time while well.

She leaves to mourn, her parents, five sisters, four brothers and a host of other relatives and friends. Her grandfather, Elder Solomon Ganer, passed to the great beyond, February 3.

Funeral services were conducted by Bro. S. R. Wells, in the home. Text: "Suffer little children, and forbid them not, to come unto me; for of such is the kingdom of heaven." Matt. 19:14. The little body was laid to rest in the Doxey-Sayre cemetery to wait for Jesus. "Budded on earth to bloom in heaven." Our loss her eternal gain.

The Family.

GARBER—Mahlon Garber, the son of Abram and Margaret Hough Garber was born near Johnsville, Frederick Co., Md., March 29th, 1861; died in Franklin Co., Pa. in the bounds of Falling Spring congregation, March 30th, 1934, aged 73 years and one day.

He was one of a family of seven children. One sister, Amanda Grabble, and one brother, Samuel Garber, preceded him in death.

Three brothers, John and Oliver Garber, of Chambersburg, Pa., Cornelius Garber, of Eaton, Ohio, and one sister, Mrs. Annie Gernand, of Johnsville, Md., survive.

Bro. Mahlon was united in marriage to Sister Emma Benedict, daughter of the late Elder John D. Benedict, well known throughout the Old Order Brotherhood. To this union were born seven children, four sons and three daughters, namely, Welty B. Garber of Ohio; Harry B., Emmert B., Dennis B., Clara Wingert and Alice Garber, all of Franklin Co., Pa., Rachel Bayer, of Md., also 25 grandchildren.

Bro. Mahlon was baptized into the Old German Baptist church at an early age wherein he lived a consistent life for about 55 years.

His companion preceded him in death August 12th, 1925.

Services were held in the Falling Spring church by the undersigned, assisted by Brother Ervan Eikenberry, of Ohio, and Abram and William Hess, of the Falling Spring congregation. Interment in the adjoining cemetery. Text used Rev. 14:13.

Franklin C. Fox, Keymar, Md.

GROVE—Margaret A. Grove, of the Falling Spring district of Franklin Co., Pa., departed this life April 6, 1934, aged 85 years, one month and 16 days.

Aunt Maggie, as she was most known, spent the greater part of her life in the service of her Maker, having joined the people of God in her youth, and was always active in the work of the church and in the community where she dwelt, ministering to the wants of those in need.

was not permitted to do so because of physical disability, and after several months of suffering, which she bore with much patience she passed to the great beyond from which no traveler returns. "Will not the God of all the earth do right?"

She is survived by her husband and five children. Funeral by home brethren assisted by J. W. Royer, of Union Bridge, Md.

E. C. Brumbaugh.

GANER — Mary Jane, infant daughter of Em Jan and Ruth Ganer Ganer, was born in Berkeley Co., near Bayer, Ohio, Feb. 16, 1931 and departed this life March 20, 1934, aged three years, one month and 12 days, after a brief illness of measles, pneumonia and colitis. She may have was short but always happy. She sang a great part of her time while well.

She leaves to mourn, her parents, five sisters, two brothers and a host of other relatives and friends. Her grandfather, Elder Solomon Ganer, passed to the great beyond, February 8.

Funeral services were conducted by Bro. S. H. Wenk, in the house. Text: "Suffer little children, and forbid them not, to come unto me: for of such is the kingdom of heaven." Matt. 19:14. The little body was laid to rest in the Dunkard-Bare cemetery to wait for Jesus. "Blessed are such to dream in heaven." Our loss her eternal gain.

The Family.

GARBER—Melvin Garber, the son of Abram and Margaret Hoover Garber, was born near Jeremiville, Frederick Co., Md., March 27th, 1861; died in Franklin Co., Pa. in the bounds of Falling Spring congregation, March 16, 1934, aged 72 years, one month and 19 days.

Mr. Garber, as one was first known, spent the greater part of his life in the service of the Master. Having yielded the people of God in his youth, and was always active in the work of the church and in the community where she dwelt, manifesting

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He was one of a family of seven children. One sister, Amanda Grabill, and one brother, Samuel Garber, preceded him in death.

There survive, Jolas and Oliver Garber, of Chambersburg, Pa. Corneliua Garber, of Easton, Ohio, and one sister, Mrs. Annie Gerrard, of Johnsville, Md., survive.

Bro. Mellon was united in marriage to Sister Emma Bowman, daughter of the late Elder John K. Bowman, well known throughout the Old Order Brotherhood. To this union were born seven children, four sons and three daughters, namely, Wylie R. Garber of Ohio, Harry S. Bowman R., Joseph B., Clara Wagner and Julia Garber, all of Franklin Co., Pa., Rachel Dupes, of Md., also 23 grandchildren.

Bro. Mellon was baptized into the Old German Baptist church at an early age, although he lived a consecrated life for about 30 years.

His sorrowing friends bid him adieu August 12th, 1934.

Services were held in the Falling Spring church by the undersigned, assisted by Brother Frank Eldenberry, of Ohio, and Abram and William Hoover, of the Falling Spring congregation. Interment in the adjoining cemetery. Text used Rev. 14:13.

Franklin C. Fox, Hagerstown, Md.

GROVE—Margaret A. Grove, of the Falling Spring district of Franklin Co., Pa., departed this life April 9, 1934, aged 64 years, one month and 16 days.

Aunt Maggie, as she was first known, spent the greater part of her life in the service of her Master. Having yielded the people of God in her youth, and was always active in the work of the church and in the community where she dwelt, manifesting

She is the last of a large family, and leaves no offspring. Her husband, John L. Grove, was taken from her more than 27 years ago. A stepdaughter, who lived with her, died just six years ago to the day.

Her body was laid to rest in the cemetery at the Falling Spring church there to await her Lord. A large number of nieces and nephews are left to remember the example she gave them. Funeral by the Brethren.

H. G. Benedict.

PRISER—In the Wolf Creek district, Ohio, Sister Lydia Priser, daughter of Jacob and Mary Kreitzer, was born August 31, 1841 in Montgomery Co., Ohio and died April 5, 1934, in the same county and state, aged 92 years, seven months and four days.

She was united in marriage to Jonas Priser, March 10, 1867. To this union were born two daughters and one son, namely Sarah Catherine, Mandy Jane and John William. Both the daughters died in childhood, aged respectively five years and two years. The husband and father passed to the great beyond, April 1, 1914.

Sister Priser, with her husband, joined the Old German Baptist church about 40 years ago and lived faithful until death.

The son, one granddaughter and other relatives survive to mourn her departure.

The funeral was held at the Wolf Creek, M. H., at 2 P. M., April 7th, conducted by the brethren. Text: Job 14:14, 15. Interment in Eversole cemetery beside her husband.

J. M. K.

YOUNT—Mary Elizabeth Yount, daughter of Elder Samuel and Barbara Kinsey, was born in Whitley County, Indiana, August 2, 1854 and departed this life in Dayton, Ohio, February 26, 1934, aged 79 years, six months and 24 days.

When two months old, her parents, with her, moved to Ohio at Kinsey Station, two miles south of Englewood. She went into the home of her grandfather, Elder Peter Nead, where she lived until his death, living at this location more than 60 years.

On September 21, 1876, she was united in marriage to George W. Yount, traveling life's journey together 46 years. He preceded her in death 12 years ago.

March 20, 1881 she was baptized on a very cold day in the waters of Wolf Creek, by Elder George Garver, into church fellowship of the Old German Baptist Church, which was one of the happiest experiences of her life.

In October, 1903, she started her long affliction and throughout the entire time she displayed her strong Christian character, which will live on and have its influence for many years. She was anointed upon two different occasions, always being ready to abide the Lord's will.

She will be greatly missed by her two sons, Clifford and Ray, her daughters-in-law, Irene and Helen and one grand-daughter, Mary Catherine. She was the second child of a family of 13 children, of whom four sisters and three brothers remain.

Funeral services were held March 2, first in the home by Pastor Barnard, of the First Brethren Church, where several of her poems were read, and later in the Lower Stillwater Church by Brother Arthur Silvers and the writer from Rom. 8:17 and 18.

Sister Yount was a gifted writer of verse and her poems testify to her devotion to the cause of Christ. Hymn 534, used at her funeral, was composed by her when she was a young

She is the last of a large family, and leaves no survivors. Her husband, John L. Grove, was taken from her more than 27 years ago. A stepdaughter, who lived with her, died just six years ago to the day.

Her body was laid to rest in the cemetery at the Falling Spring church there to await her Lord. A large number of nieces and nephews are left to remember the example she gave them. Funeral by the brethren.

H. C. Teasdale.

FRISER—In the Wall Creek district, Ohio, Sister Lydia Friser, daughter of Jacob and Mary Kemper, was born August 24, 1841 in Montgomery Co., Ohio and died April 6, 1934, in the same county and state, aged 92 years, seven months and four days.

She was united in marriage to Jonas Friser, March 10, 1861. To this union were born two daughters and one son, namely Sarah Catherine, Mandy Jane and John William. Both the daughters died in childhood, aged respectively five years and two years. The husband and father passed to the great beyond, April 1, 1916.

Sister Friser, with her husband, joined the Old German Baptist church about 40 years ago and lived faithful until death.

The son, one granddaughter and other relatives survive to mourn her departure.

The funeral was held at the Wall Creek, M. H., at 2 P. M., April 7th, conducted by the writer. Text—Job 14:14, 15. Interment in Dayton cemetery beside her husband.

J. M. S.

YOUNT—Mary Elizabeth Yount, daughter of Elder Samuel and Barbara Kinsey, was born in Whitley County, Indiana, August 3, 1854 and departed this life in Dayton, Ohio, Saturday, 3/24, aged 79 years, six months and 24 days.

When two months old, her parents, with her, moved to Cole st. Mission Station, two miles south of Eugene, Ind. She went into the home of her grandfather, Elder Peter Neal, where she lived until her death, living at this location more than 50 years.

On December 21, 1870, she was united in marriage to George M. Yount, traveling Elder's journey to minister 41 years. He preceded her in death 12 years ago.

March 2, 1931 she was baptized in a very cold day in the waters of Wall Creek, by Elder George Ca—ver, into church fellowship of the Old German Baptist Church, which was one of the happiest departures of her life.

In October, 1933, she started her home address and throughout the entire time she displayed her strong Christian character, which will live on and have its influence for many years. She was available upon the different occasions, always being ready to obey the Lord's will.

She will be greatly missed by her two sons, Sidford and Ray, her daughters-in-law, Irene and Helen and one grand daughter, Mary Catherine. She was the special child of a family of 10 children, of whom four sisters and three brothers remain.

Funeral services were held March 2, first in the home by Peter Eikenberry, of the First Brethren Church, where several of her poems were read, and later in the Lower Settlement church, by Brother Arthur Silvers and the writer from Rom. 8:17 and 18.

Sister Yount was a gifted writer of verse and her poems testify to her devotion to the cause of Christ. Upon request at her funeral, was composed by her when she was a young

woman and No. 400, used at the grave, was composed by her father.

While for many years her affliction made her dependent upon others for bodily care, she could ably give spiritual instruction, and her pleasant conversation and cheerful countenance will long be remembered by all who knew her.

We believe she was truly a mother in Israel and her life comparable to the "Elect Lady" addressed by the "Loving Disciple" as recorded in Second John.

To such a one we feel that death comes as a blessed relief from affliction and pain and the promises of the Scriptures a reality in the home of the redeemed.

David Mohler.

LETTERS AND MONEY RECEIVED

FOR THE MONTH ENDING APRIL 14, 1934

J. H. Riffey		Mabel Wrightsman	
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H. G. Benedict		Jacob W. Skiles	
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David Mohler.

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Jesse E. Mills	W. J. Kline
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J. S. Arbo	Mrs. G. Frey
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J. S. Arbo	Mrs. Kline
J. S. Arbo	Mrs. Kline
J. S. Arbo	Mrs. Kline

We the members of the Cimmaron Valley church, Baca Co., Colorado, have in union agreed to hold our love feast the Lord willing on September 29, 1934.

We extend a hearty invitation to members and friends to be with us, and especially do we request the ministry to remember us. We need and will greatly appreciate your help.

By order of the church.

Cephas R. Boone.

We the members of the Old German Baptist church, Donnels Creek district, Clark County, Ohio, have agreed if the Lord is willing to hold our communion meeting on Oct. 13, 1934 and we extend a hearty invitation to all of like precious faith to be with us—children, neighbors and friends and especially the ministry.

In behalf of the church.

J. N. Lavy.

We, the members of the Big Creek church, Gove Co., Kansas, have appointed our communion meeting for the 27th of October, 1934. All are invited to attend especially the ministry.

In behalf of the church.

Henry Wolf.

The Lower Stillwater church, Montgomery Co., Ohio, has agreed to hold its lovefeast Nov. 7, 1934. A general invitation is extended to members and friends. And we ask the ministry to kindly remember us with your presence.

Wm. N. Kinsey.

We the members of the Eel River church, Kosciusko Co., Ind. have in union agreed to hold our communion meeting the Lord willing, Oct. the 18th, 1934 and we extend a hearty invitation to all the dear members, friends and children to be with us, especially the ministering brethren.

In behalf of the church.

David Prowant.

OBITUARIES

PRAYER WHERE OUR LOVED ONES REST

I love to stay where my loved ones sleep,
And gaze on each star as it twinkling peeps,
Through that bending willow which lonely weeps,
O'er my loved ones graves.

I love to kneel on the green turf there,
Afar from the scene of my daily care,
And breathe to my Saviour my evening prayer
O'er my loved ones graves.

I love to think how 'neath the ground
They slumber in death as captives bound,
They'll slumber no more when the trump shall sound
O'er my loved ones graves.

Selected by Ida E. Patrick, Flora, Ind.

ABERLE — John Aberle was born in Germany, April 30, 1854. April 28, 1875 he was united in marriage to Miss Sarah Snyder, who preceded him in death. To this union was born one son, George, who survives him.

August 8, 1876 he was married to Miss Susan Shank who also preceded him in death. He was the last of a family of four children.

In his younger days he and his first wife were united to the Christian church at Trotwood, Ohio. He departed this life at his late home near Clayton, Ohio, April 24, 1934, aged 79 yrs., 11 mos., 24 days. The funeral was held at the First Brethren church in Clayton, Ohio, April 27, 1934.

Services were conducted by the undersigned from Eccl. 7:2. Burial was made in the Arlington Cemetery.

Wm. N. Kinsey.

BARNHART — Emma Barnhart, daughter of John and Susan Smith, was born Sept. 14, 1863 in Montgomery Co., Ohio, died April 11, 1934, aged 70 years and 7 months. She was united in marriage to Wm. W. Barnhart. To this union were born four children—two sons and two daughters. They moved to North Manchester, Ind. when the children were small. In 1910 the husband was taken by death. She remained there until her death. She was a good and kind mother, and was a member of the Church of the Brethren. She leaves her four children and seven grandchildren, one brother and one sister. Lucinda Landes, a sister.

CARDER — Moses Carder was born February 7, 1857 at Ft. Jennings, Ohio and departed this life March 15, 1934, aged 77 years, 1 month, 8 days.

He was married to Martha Jane Drake October 17, 1880. To this union were born six children. His wife and two children preceded him to the spirit world. He leaves to mourn his departure four children—Silas, of Continental, O.; Margaret Moore, Columbus Grove, O.; John J., of North Creek, O. and Robert of Paulding, O. He is also survived by eight grandchildren and one great grandchild.

The deceased was baptized in the Old German Baptist church October 17, 1897. We think he lived a consistent life to his faith.

The funeral was conducted by the undersigned assisted by Newton Peters of the Ash Grove district, Allen County, Ohio.

John L. Stouffer.

DIEHL — Bro. George L. Diehl, of the Bear Creek congregation, Ohio, son of Jacob and Catherine Diehl, was born in Perry Township, Montgomery Co., Ohio, May 31, 1850 and died at his home in New Lebanon, Ohio, May 6, 1934, aged 83 yrs., 11 mos. and 5 days. He was united in marriage to Rachel Bowser in the year 1873. Together they traveled life's pathway until her death, Dec. 9, 1931 and together they were baptized into the Old German Baptist church, about the year 1875, in the Upper Twin Creek district of church, Preble Co., Ohio and both remained faithful to their vows until called by death. Bro. Diehl was called to the office of deacon by the church, in which he served faithfully for many years. One brother and one sister preceded him in death. He is survived by one brother and a large number of relatives and friends who mourn his departure.

The funeral was held at the Bear Creek church, May 8, 1934. Services were conducted by the undersigned assisted by Brethren Joseph Frantz and D. M. Coning from I Cor. 15:57. Burial was made in the Eversole Cemetery.

Wm. N. Kinsey.

EBY — Jesse Eby, oldest child of Joseph Eby and Eliza Eikenberry Eby, was born in Gratis township, near Camden, Ohio, January 4, 1866.

On February 14, 1892 he was united in marriage to Sara Baile Reese. In the spring after his marriage he moved to his farm near West Elkton, Ohio where for over 40 years he followed the pursuit of farming.

In the summer of 1927, his health began to fail. Early in this present year he became stricken with an insidious disease, for which all that medical science could do was done, but

Services were conducted by his uncle, Reverend Isaac Ellis. Burial was made in the Arlington Cemetery.

Wm. M. Kinney.

BARNHART — Susan Bamham, daughter of John and Susan Smith, was born Sept. 14, 1853 in Montgomery Co., Ohio, died April 17, 1934, aged 70 years and 7 months. She was united in marriage to Wm. W. Barnhart. To this union were born four children—two sons and two daughters. They moved to North Manchester, Ind. when the children were small. In 1910 the husband was taken by death. She remained there until her death. She was a good and kind mother, and was a member of the Church of the Brethren. She leaves her four children and seven grandchildren, one brother and one sister. Lucinda Lawson, a sister.

CARNES — Mrs. Carrie was born February 7, 1857 at Ft. Jennings, Ohio, and departed this life March 15, 1934, aged 77 years, 1 month, 8 days.

He was married to Martha Jane Hinkle October 17, 1880. To this union were born six children. His wife and two children preceded him to the spirit world. He leaves to mourn his departure four children—Silas, of Continental, O., Margaret Moore, Columbus Grove, O.; Jesse L., of Kenton Creek, O. and Elmer of Fort Wayne, O. He is also survived by eight grandchildren and one great grandchild.

The deceased was baptized in the Old German Baptist church October 17, 1897. He gave his life a consistent life to His Lord.

The funeral was conducted by the undersigned assisted by Newton Fetters of the Ash Grove district. Burial John L. Stauffer. Central, Ohio.

INDIAN — Ben George L. Diehl, of the Bear Creek congregation, Ohio, son of Jacob and Catherine Diehl, was born in Perry Township, Montgomery Co., Ohio, May 23, 1850 and died at his home in New Lisbon, Ohio, May 9, 1934, aged 83 yrs., 11 mos. and 4 days. He was united in marriage to Rachel Gossner in the year 1872. To another they traveled life's pathway until her death, Dec. 9, 1931 and together they were baptized into the Old German Baptist church, about the year 1879, in the Upper Twin Creek district of church, Preble Co., Ohio and both remained faithful to their vows until called by death. Bro. Diehl was called to the office of deacon by the church, in which he served faithfully for many years. One brother and one sister preceded him in death. He is survived by one brother and a large number of relatives and friends who mourn his departure.

The funeral was held at the Bear Creek church, May 9, 1934. Services were conducted by the undersigned assisted by brethren Joseph Swartz and H. M. Cosling from I Cor. 15:57. Burial was made in the Riverside Cemetery.

Wm. M. Kinney.

FRY — Irene Fry, eldest child of Joseph Fry and Eliza Eikenberry Fry, was born in Grants township, near Canton, Ohio, January 4, 1858. On February 14, 1877 he was married to Sara Belle Teare. In the service of his master he proven to his fellow men. Wm. Eikenberry died here for over an years for the Lord on the profession of faith.

In the spring of 1877, the church found it said. Early in life a prisoner that in leaving stricken with an incurable disease, for which all that medical science could do was done, but

early in the night of March 19, the death messenger called, and he answered the summons, at the age of 68 years, 2 months and 15 days.

He was both highly moral and temperate, and a man of strict honesty. He always took an active part in the educational and political life of the community and county, and had the respect of all his neighbors and friends. He will be missed by many, but most of all by his children. To them his life was one of love and service and of interest in their happiness and welfare. He will be greatly missed also by his grandchildren, from association with whom he derived some of his greatest pleasure in his later years. He is survived by all of his seven children, also four grandchildren, one brother and two sisters having preceded him in death.

Funeral services were conducted by Elder Solomon Stoner of Pendleton, Ind., assisted by Pre. J. L. Armstrong of the United Brethren church, at West Elkton, Ohio.

The Family.

FISHER — Sister Cynthia M. Fisher (Montgomery), daughter of James and Susan Montgomery, was born in Franklin Co., Va., Feb. 23, 1861; died within the bounds of the Oak Hill congregation, Franklin Co., Va., April 5, 1934, aged 73 years, one month and 12 days. She was married to Brother John H. Fisher March 16, 1902, who passed to his reward Sept. 10, 1929. Since that time she had made her home among the members of the church of her choice, namely the Old German Baptist, of which she was a member for more than 40 years. She leaves to mourn her departure two brothers and one sister, namely Peter N. Montgomery of Dayton, Ohio, Robert Montgomery of Ripon, Calif., and Jane Montgomery of Flora, Ind., and many other relatives and friends.

She was in failing health for some time, but was able to be up and around until the last few days. She was paralyzed and soon passed from labor to reward.

Funeral by the Brethren from Rev. 14:12-13 and her body laid to rest beside those of her father and mother in the family cemetery.

D. A. Montgomery.

GARBER — Joseph Benjamin Garber, son of Henry and Elizabeth (Short) Garber, was born in Ashe County, North Carolina, May 20, 1858. He was the last surviving member of the family, being preceded in death by seven sisters and his parents.

In early childhood he came with his parents to Logan County, O. Later they moved to Kansas where he was united in marriage on May 16, 1888, to Ellen Brooks. To this union were born seven children, three of whom preceded their father in death. His wife died March 8, 1900.

In 1894, returning from Kansas, he engaged in the grocery business in West Liberty, O., which business he followed for 25 years, after which he farmed for several years.

He was again married to Stella Gantt Nov. 28, 1900. To this union were born four children. One son, Franklin, and his second wife also preceded him in death. He was a member of the Old German Baptist church with which he united while living in Kansas. He had been in failing health for several months, but was in bed only one week. Paralysis was the cause of his death. He died at his home, 333 Wood street, Piqua, Ohio, March 28, 1934, at the age of 75 years, 10 months and eight days.

early in the night of March 14, the death messenger called, and he answered his summons, at the age of 63 years, 3 months and 14 days.

He was born, highly moral and temperate, and a man of strict honesty. He always took an active part in the educational and political life of the community and county, and had the respect of all his neighbors and friends. He will be missed by many, but most of all by his children. To them his life was one of love and service and of prayers in their behalf, praying and working. He will be greatly missed also by his remaining brothers, from association with whom he derived much comfort in his advancing years in his later years. He is survived by all of his seven children, nine living grandchildren, one brother and one sister, having preceded him to death.

Funeral services were conducted by Elder Solomon Speece of Pleasantville, Pa., assisted by Bro. J. L. Ayres, of the United Brethren church, at West Elkton, Ohio.

The Family.

FISHER — Sister Cynthia M. Fisher (Montgomery), daughter of James and Susan Montgomery, was born in Franklin Co., Va., Feb. 9th, 1841; died within the bounds of the Oak Hill congregation, Franklin Co., Va., April 5, 1934, aged 93 years, one month and 14 days. She was married to Brother John H. Fisher March 10, 1862, who passed to his reward Sept. 10, 1924. Since that time she has made her home among the members of the church of her choice, namely the Old German Baptists, of which she was a member for more than 40 years. She leaves to mourn her departure two brothers and one sister, namely Peter K. Montgomery of Dayton, Ohio, Robert Montgomery of Hilton, Ohio, and Jane Montgomery of Fiore, Ind., and many other relatives and friends.

She was in failing health for some time, but was able to be up and around until the last few days. She was peaceful and soon passed from labor to reward.

Funeral by the Brethren from Rev. 14:13-17 and her body laid to rest beside those of her father and mother in the family cemetery.

D. A. Montgomery.

FRASIER — Joseph Benjamin Frasier, son of Henry and Elizabeth (Shoyer) Frasier, was born in Adams County, North Carolina, May 29, 1852. He was the last surviving member of the family, having preceded in death by seven sisters and his parents.

In early childhood he came with his parents to Logan County, O. Later they moved to Kansas where he was united in marriage on May 14, 1884, to Eden Fowler. To this union were born seven children, three of whom preceded their father in death. His wife died March 2, 1900.

In 1901, returning from Kansas, he engaged in the grocery business in West Liberty, O., which business he followed for 25 years, after which he farmed for several years.

He was again married to Sarah Conant Nov. 26, 1906. To this union were born four children. One son, Franklin, and his second wife survived him in death. He was a member of the Old German Baptist church with which he united while living in Kansas. He had been in failing health for several months, but was in bed only one week. Pneumonia was the cause of his death. He died at his home, 328 Seven street, Piqua, Ohio, March 26, 1934, at the age of 79 years, 10 months and eight days.

He is survived by the following children: Mrs. Frank Sherrell, of Warsaw, Illinois; Chester, in California; Mrs. William Leib, West Liberty, O.; Mrs. Walter Wolf, Springfield, O., and Miss Blanche Garber, Robert and Paul at home; also 17 grandchildren and three great grandchildren whose loss we trust is His eternal gain.

Funeral services at the Covington meeting house at 10 o'clock a. m. and also at West Liberty at 2 o'clock p. m. by the home brethren. Interment in the West Liberty cemetery. Gone but not forgotten by his many friends.

P. D. Bowman.

HOWSER — Sister Elizabeth Howser, daughter of Henry and Mary or (as known in Ohio) Polly (Disler) Mohler, was born March 31, 1858, near Mt. Pleasant, Stark Co., Ohio. Departed this life the 14th of April, 1934, at her home place where she lived for 53 years. Her husband preceded her in death on May 23, 1921. To this union were born seven children—five sons and two daughters. We were all at her bedside during her 19 days of untold agony caused from a severe burn, except her eldest son, Daniel H. Howser, of Salida, Calif.

She leaves to mourn their loss the five sons, Daniel H., Salida, Calif.; Joseph, of Portland, Ore., and Benjamin, of Tulsa, Okla. (twins); Jacob O., of Lawrence, Kans.; William A., of Baldwin, Kans., the two daughters, home address, Mary L. Kinsley, Edna May Smith, Pomona, Kans, R. 1; one brother, of Lawrence, Kans.; one sister, Salinda, Calif.; also 25 grandchildren and five great grandchildren.

We feel mother is happy over there where she prayed for God to take her, where suffering, sorrow and misfortune never come.

Mother united with the Old German Baptist church at an early age and remained true and faithful, ever reading God's word until her end came. Some time before her last sickness mother had called for the elders and was anointed with oil in the name of the Lord. We truly feel we need not sorrow as those that have no hope.

The funeral services were held at the Eight Mile church, April 16, 2 P. M. to a large congregation of members and friends. Text, Rev. 22: 14 conducted by Elder Daniel Flory, assisted by Brethren W. R. Barnhart and Ira Hirt. Mother's favorite hymn, No. 452, was sung at the home. Interment beside her husband in Pleasant Hill cemetery to await the resurrection morn.

The Two Daughters.

KLINE — Samuel C. Kline, son of Frederick and Mary Kline, was born in Rockingham Co., Va., Sept. 4, 1865 and passed away July 28, 1933, aged 68 yrs., 10 mos. and 24 das.

On Dec. 29, 1891 he was united in marriage to Miss Cora Shomo. In 1898 they moved to Lima, Ohio, where he worked at the Ohio Steel Foundry for nearly 20 years when his health failed. He suffered a stroke of paralysis about seven years ago. Having several strokes the doctor advised him to return to Virginia for his health. November, 1931, he had a stroke from which he became an invalid. He suffered much, but was always cheerful and patient, always having a smile for every one.

He was a member of the Christian church at Tenth Legion, Va.

His funeral was held at New Market, close to his home. He leaves to mourn his departure, his companion, three sisters, Mrs. Lizzie Holsinger, Pleasant Hill, Ohio; Mrs. Sarah

He is survived by the following children: Mrs. Frank Barnett, of Warren, Illinois; Clarence, in California; Mrs. William Davis, West Liberty, O.; Mrs. Walter Wolf, Springfield, O., and Mrs. Dorothy Gardner, Herbert and Earl at home; plus 17 grandchildren and four great grandchildren whose last we trust is Mrs. Gardner's gain.

Funeral services at the Covington meeting house at 10 o'clock a. m., and also at West Liberty at 2 o'clock p. m., by the home brethren. Interment in the West Liberty cemetery. Thus but not forgotten by her many friends.

F. D. Jones.

BOWSER — Sister Elizabeth Bowser, daughter of Henry and Mary or (as known in Dixie) Polly (Dyer) Spohler, was born March 21, 1838, near Mt. Pleasant, Stark Co., Ohio. Departed this life the 14th of April, 1934, at her home near where she lived for 53 years. Her husband preceded her in death on May 22, 1921. To this union were born seven children—five sons and two daughters. We were all at her bedside during her 12 days of acute agony caused from a severe burn, except her oldest son, David E. Bowser, of Salem, Calif.

She leaves to mourn her loss the five sons, David E., Salem, Calif.; Joseph, of Portland, Ore., and Henry, of Tulsa, Okla. (twins); Isaac O., of Lawrence, Kans.; William A., of Baldwin, Kans., the two daughters, none address; Mary L., Kansas; Julia May Smith, Tonasket, Wash. H. D. Bowser, of Lawrence, Kans., survivor, sister; Salina, Calif., also 27 grandchildren and three great grandchildren.

We feel neither is happy even there where she prayed for God to take her, where sufferings, sorrow and mortality never come.

Mother united with the Old German Baptist church at an early age and remained true and faithful, overcoming God's word until her end, some time before her last sickness, nothing that called for the editor and was annulled with all in the name of the Lord. We truly feel we need not sorrow as those that have no hope.

The funeral services were held at the Eight Mile church, April 19, 2 P. M., to a large congregation of sorrowing and friends. First, Rev. 22: 14, conducted by Elder Daniel Zigler, assisted by Brethren W. E. Hartman and Jas. Hiter. Mother's favorite hymn, No. 455, was sung at the home. Interment, beside her husband in Pleasant Hill cemetery to await the resurrection morn.

The Two Daughters.

KLINE — Samuel C. Kline, son of Frederick and Mary Kline, was born in Tom's Creek, Va., Sept. 4, 1833, and passed away, July 23, 1934, aged 95 y., 10 mos. and 19 days.

On Dec. 25, 1857 he was united in marriage to Mary Ann Simmons. In 1864 they moved to Ohio, where he worked at the Ohio Steel Foundry for nearly 50 years when his health failed. He suffered a stroke of paralysis about seven years ago. Since several years ago the doctor ordered him to retire to Florida for his health. November, 1933, he had a stroke from which he never got up again. He suffered much, but was always cheerful and patient, always having a smile for every one.

He was a member of the Christian church at Fairmont, W. Va.

His funeral was held at Mt. Morgan, near Ripley, Ohio. He leaves to mourn his departure, his companion, two sisters, Mrs. Lizzie Holsing, of Fairmont, W. Va., Mrs. Sarah

Brumbaugh, Dayton, Ohio; Mrs. Jennie Miller, Lima, Ohio, and many nieces and nephews and friends.

Jennie Miller.

MILLER — Irvan Wilbert Miller, son of Amos E. and Rosa N. Miller, was born near Rossburg, Allen Township, Darke Co., O., Feb. 26, 1914. In 1917 he with his parents moved on a farm near Gettysburg, O. On Jan. 4th, 1930, he united with the Old German Baptist church, at Oak Grove, O., at the age of 16 years, in which faith he lived faithful until his death which came April 14, 1934 at the Covington Hospital, at the age of 20 years, one month and 18 days. On Feb. 26, 1933 he was united in marriage with Florence Elizabeth Beckner, at her home. To this union was born a daughter, Betty Lou. Their short married life was spent on the Sollenbarger farm near Covington, O.

His many friends in this vicinity were shocked when an advanced case of appendicitis made it necessary for him to go to the Covington Hospital on the afternoon of March 14th. In spite of two operations and the best of care, he was not able to recover from his sickness. His suffering was severe, but he bore it with much patience and Christian fortitude.

One brother, Kenneth, preceded him in death. He leaves to mourn his departure, his loving companion and one daughter, Betty Lou, aged four months, his father, mother, four brothers (Emerson, of Casstown, O., Talmadge,, Harley and Isaac, at home), two sisters (Sadie and Mary also at home), two grandparents (John and Lizzie Hollinger, of Horatio, Ohio), and a large circle of relatives and friends. But we need not mourn as those that have no hope; for we feel that our loss is his eternal gain.

Funeral services at the Covington church conducted by the home brethren to a large and sympathizing congregation of neighbors and friends. Text chosen by the family from Matt. 24:44. Hymns used 234, 382, 386, 389, 411.

P. D. Bowman.

MORGAN — Died in the bounds of the Salida congregation, California, James David Morgan, was born in Johnsville, Roanoke Co., Va., June 18, 1848. Died April 7, 1934.

In the early days of his manhood Bro. Morgan confessed his Saviour, uniting with the church of his choice by holy baptism, to which faith he closely adhered until death.

In about 1868 he moved to Auburn, Sangamon Co., Ill. In 1877 he was united in marriage to Mary Alshire. To this union was born one son, Charles William, who is yet living. After the death of his wife, Mary, he married a second Sister named Talitha, who soon died also, leaving no children. Hereafter he married a third Sister, Sally, the widow of Stephen Flora, with her two children, John H. and Perl Flora. To this third marriage were born five children, four daughters, and one son. They were: Anna May, Emma Jane, two twins, Mary and Magga. Both these have crossed over the River of Death. The son, David Randolph, is living near Dayton, Ohio.

In 1896 he moved with his family to South Haven, Mich., where he spent some 18 years of useful service in the Master's cause at that place. And then the year 1919 came to Modesto, California to spend his remaining years. He was a man of peace in the church and in the community, had many friends and was blest with the ripe old age of 85 years, nine months and 18 days. His affliction

Fredericksburg, Dayton, Ohio; Mrs. Jennie Miller, Lima, Ohio, and many nieces and nephews and friends.

Jennie Miller.

MILLER — Irene Wilbert Miller, son of Amos K. and Ann N. Miller, was born near Roanoke, Allen Township, Darke Co., O., Feb. 24, 1872. In infancy he with his parents moved on a farm near Greenville, O. On Jan. 4th, 1891, he united with the Church of Christ Disciples, at Oak Grove, O., at the age of 16 years in which faith he lived faithful until his death, which came April 15, 1934 at the Covington Hospital, at the age of 62 years, one month and 21 days. On Feb. 26, 1893 he was married in marriage with Florence Elizabeth Buckmaster, at Bradford. To this union was born a daughter, Betty Zoe. Their short married life was spent on the Roller farm near Covington, O.

His many friends in this vicinity were shocked when an advanced case of appendicitis made it necessary for him to go to the Covington Hospital on the afternoon of March 24th. In spite of two operations and the best of care, he was not able to recover from his disease. His suffering was severe, but he bore it with Christian patience and Christian fortitude.

One brother, E. Harvey, preceded him in death. He leaves to mourn his departure, his loving companion and one daughter, Betty Zoe, aged four months. Six brothers, namely, Isaac, Francis (Frank) of Covington, O., Talcott, Harley and Lloyd, of Bradford, two sisters, Estella and Mary Alice of Bradford, two grandparents, Adam and Lizzie Stillwagon, of Bradford, Ohio, and a large circle of relatives and friends. But, we need not mourn as those who have no hope, for we feel that our loss is his eternal gain.

Funeral services at the Covington church conducted by the home preacher in a large and sympathizing congregation of neighbors and friends. Text chosen by the family from Matt. 25:34. Hymns used 234, 285, 286, 290, 413.

D. D. Bowman.

BROMLEY — Died in the hands of the Saints congregation, Cedar Grove, James Davis Bromley, was born in Pickneyville, Ronzelle Co., Va., June 16, 1842. Died April 7, 1934.

In the early days of his manhood life, Morgan contracted his Saviour, uniting with the church of his choice in faith baptism, in which faith he closely adhered until death.

In about 1866 he moved to Auburn, Sangamon Co., Ill. In 1877 he was united in marriage to Mary Adkins. To this union was born one son, Charles William, who is yet living. After the death of his wife, Mary, he married a widowed sister named Tabitha, who soon died also, leaving no children. Afterward he married a third sister, Sally, the widow of Stanton Adams, with her two children, John H. and Dell Flora. To this third marriage were born five children, four daughters, and one son. They were Anna May, Emma Jane, two twins, Mary and Maggie. Both these have crossed over the River of Death. The son, David Randolph, is living near Dayton, Ohio.

In 1894 he moved with his family to South Haven, Mich., where he went with 18 years of partial service in the Master's cause at that place. And then the year 1917 found us Mendota, Illinois, to attend his remaining years. He was a man of peace in the church and in the community. Had many friends and was liked with the ripe old age of 87 years, nine months and 21 days. His affliction was long and he suffered much.

was creeping paralysis, which he suffered patiently until the end came.

Funeral conducted by the Brethren at the Salida meeting house and interment in the Wood Colony Cemetery.

O. L. Cover.

SHREWSBURY — Bessie, wife of Bro. Levi Shrewsbury, was born near Odd, Raleigh County, W. Va., April 14, 1893. Departed this life near Egeria, W. Va., Jan. 7, 1934, aged 41 years, 8 months and 24 days. She was married Sept. 30, 1909. To this union were born 11 children, one of whom died in infancy—Moses Aaron. There survive, five sons, (Vernoy, Ozena, Glenver, Berkley and L. H.) and five daughters, (Geneva, Gaygona, Cleora, Rachel and Mrs. Rivanna Shrewsbury) Mrs. Shrewsbury united with the Methodist church about 11 years ago, to which she was a faithful member until death.

She had been sickly several years and in September, 1933 she was taken to the hospital where she remained for a while until she grew better and was removed to her home where she remained until her death. She had high blood pressure and kidney trouble with which she suffered very much, but bore her sickness with patience.

She leaves to mourn her departure her husband (Bro. Levi Shrewsbury, aged 51) 10 children and two sisters, (Mrs. Dolcy Helton of Fayetteville, W. Va. and Mrs. Mary Cunningham, Matoaka, W. Va.).

The funeral was conducted by Pre. Geo. Reed and Pre. Philip Graham. Songs sung, "Good Bye," "Shake Hands with Mother Again" and several others. Her body was laid to rest in the Barker's Ridge Cemetery.

She was a kind and loving mother to her family and all she met and will be greatly missed in the community. She taught her little ones to be in the fear of the Lord and to be obedient to the will of God.

SILVERS — Edna Marlene Silvers, youngest child of Arthur and Edith Silvers was born June 4, 1933 near Lewisburg, O., and died April 20, 1934, at her home near Dayton, O., aged 10 months and 16 days.

The little temple wherein dwelt the angel Spirit, never was strong, yet thru all her suffering and affliction she seldom cried, but always greeted her loved ones with little smiles and outstretched arms which will always remain an example and incentive to join her in the Land of Rest.

Besides her father and mother she leaves one sister Genevieve, four brothers, Jack Emerson, Arthur Junior, Robert Markey and Orlan Dale. One grandfather and one grandmother and many other relatives and friends, to whom her little bright face endeared her.

Funeral services were held Monday morning, April 23, 10:30 A. M. at the Stillwater meeting house, conducted by Bro. Solomon Stoner, assisted by the home brethren. Text: Matt. 14: 13-16. Burial in the church cemetery nearby.

The Family.

TRENT—In Flora, Indiana, Frances E. Trent, daughter of Thomas and Mariah Niccum, was born near the Ohio-Indiana line March 18, 1848; died April 9, 1934, at the age of 86 years and 22 days.

She was united in marriage to Lewis E. Trent on March 25, 1866. To this union were born twelve children, of whom eight are living. Her husband preceded her in death September 9, 1908, and four children, Odis, Leroy, Mary Elizabeth, and one

dying in infancy. Those who are left to mourn her death are: Mrs. Vinton Rodgers, of Bringhurst, Ind.; Mrs. Noah Rippert, of Noblesville, Ind.; Mrs. Isaac Roll of Flora, Ind.; Mrs. Ed. Harrison of Star City; Mrs. Rufus Hood, Elmer Trent, and Mrs. Floyd Pullen, all of Flora, Ind., and Mrs. Fred Allen of Kokomo, Ind. She also leaves 26 grandchildren, one step grandchild, one foster grandchild, 11 great grandchildren, two brothers, Philip Niccum, of North Vernon, Ind. and Albert Niccum, of Chattanooga, Tenn., besides a host of other relatives and friends. But we trust our loss is her eternal gain.

Mrs. Emma Trent, local resident, is a daughter-in-law.

Sister Trent joined the church of her choice which was the Old German Baptist church in the year of 1874 and lived a consistent life until called by death.

Funeral services were held at the Old German Baptist church, East Columbia street, Flora, Ind., at 1:30 p. m., Wednesday, Eld. John F. Flora and Eld. Jos. L. Fisher in charge. Interment in the Moss Cemetery.

The Family.

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dying in infancy. Those who are left to mourn her death are: Mrs. Vinton Rodgers, of Bridgeport, Ind.; Mrs. Noah Bippert, of Mobleville, Ind.; Mrs. Isaac Eod of Flora, Ind., Mrs. Ed. Harrison of Blue City; Mrs. Rufus Hood, Silver Town, and Mrs. Floyd Fellen, all of Flora, Ind., and Mrs. Fred Allen of Kokomo, Ind. She also leaves 23 grandchildren, one step grandchild, one foster grandchild, 21 great grandchildren, two brothers, Philip Nicum, of Mount Vernon, Ind., and Albert Nicum, of Centerville, Tenn., besides a host of other relatives and friends. Her husband preceded her a few years ago.

Mrs. Emma Trent, local resident, is a daughter-in-law.

Sister Trent joined the church of her choice while, was the Old German Baptist church in the year of 1878 and lived a consistent life until called by death.

Funeral services were held at the Old German Baptist church, East Columbia street, Flora, Ind., at 1:30 p. m., Wednesday, 23d day of May, and 23d Inst. I. Zigler is sharing interment in the Elon Cemetery.

The Family.

LETTERS AND MONEY RECEIVED

FOR THE SEVEN DAYS ENDING MAY 31, 1934.

Anna E. Miller	A. W. Lawson
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A. Miller	Mary L. Brooks
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Jacob Myers	E. B. Miller
Mrs. Mary Miller	J. L. Miller
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day, 2 P. M. and we extend a hearty invitation to all the dear members and friends to be with us on that occasion, especially the Ministering Brethren. In behalf of the Church.

W. A. Beckner.

We the members of the Ash Grove Church, Allen Co., Ohio, have agreed to hold our Communion Meeting, Oct. 6th, 1934. The usual invitation is given to all the brethren, sisters and friends, to come and be with us on that occasion, and especially the Ministering brethren, in behalf of the Church.

G. P. Custer.

OBITUARIES

MY MOTHER

I owe to my angel Mother
All I am or hope to be;
Even to my hopes of heaven:
That fair land across Death's Dead Sea.

Oh, how carefully she taught me.
Through my happy, careless youth,
To be honest, ever faithful
E'er to stand for right and truth.

So in years past when I've wand'red
In forbidden paths of sin,
'Twas the memory of her teachings
Brought me back to Christ again.

And that Mother who is sleeping
Now beneath the church yard sod,
Showed through all her life-long journey
That she ever walked with God.

Selected by Maggie E. Doty.

BRADLEY—After an illness extending over a number of months, Elder George W. Bradley passed to his reward on Wednesday, March 14, 1934, at his home near Lindside, W. Va., at the advanced age of 90 years and 18 days. He had been a sufferer from heart trouble and complications some years and an invalid for several months. A few days before he passed away he was stricken with paralysis, which was the immediate cause of his death. Brother Bradley was born in Giles, Co., Va., on Feb. 24, 1844. Was married to Magdalene Fleshman, daughter of Elijah P. and Romanza Fleshman, Oct. 26, 1869. To this union three sons and two daughters were born. Samuel A. Bradley, of Newport, Va., William Bradley of Bluefield, W. Va. (now deceased) E. A. Bradley of Princeton, W. Va., Mrs. E. L. Raines and Mrs. Mary R. Broyles of Lindside, W. Va. "Uncle George" as every one called him, was tenderly cared for during his illness by his family and neighbors, his daughter attending constantly at his bedside and nothing was left undone that could add to his comfort. That life so precious to his children, has returned to Him who gave it, but the memory of it still lives in the minds and hearts of those still left behind, where it can never die. Elder Bradley had been a member of the Brethren Church for approximately 60 years and a minister for 50 years. He was a faithful shepherd over his flock at Spruce Run Church, during all these years. But his labors were not confined to this church alone, but he traveled far and near and many miles on horseback, preaching Jesus to the lost. His one great desire was to help save the unsaved. He was a good and obliging neighbor, a loving husband and an affectionate father and will be greatly missed by all.

The funeral for this good man was held at the late home on March 15, by Elders Joel Peters and Henry E. Boone of Franklin Co., Va., from 2 Timothy 4:7.

day, 2 P. M. and we extend a hearty invitation to all the dear members and friends to be with us on that occasion, especially the Sabbath-school Brethren. In behalf of the Church.

W. A. Rodgers.

We the members of the Ash Grove Church, Allen Co., Ohio, have agreed to hold our Conference Meeting, Oct. 6th, 1918. The usual invitation is given to all the brethren, sisters and friends, to come and be with us on that occasion, and especially the Ministering brethren, on behalf of the Church.

C. F. Coder.

OBITUARIES

MY MOTHER

I owe to my angel Mother
All I am or hope to be;
Even in my hopes of heaven
That fair land across Death's Dread Sea.

Oh, how carefully she taught me
Through my happy, carefree youth,
To be honest, ever faithful
Ever to stand for right and truth.

So in years past when I've wandered
In forbidden paths of sin,
'Twas the memory of her teachings
Brought me back to Christ again.

And that Mother who is sleeping
Now beneath the church yard sod,
Showed through all her suffering journey
That she ever walked with God.

Selected by Marion E. Myers.

BEAADLEY—After an illness extending over a number of months Brother George W. Bradley passed on his reward on Wednesday, March 14, 1918, at his home near Lincoln, Va.

Va., at the advanced age of 80 years and 12 days. He had been a sufferer from short trouble and complications some years and an invalid for several months. A few days before he passed away he was attacked with paralysis, which was the immediate cause of his death. Brother Bradley was born in Giles, Co., Va., on Feb. 24, 1844. Was married to Magdalene Fleshman, daughter of Abijah F. and Hannah Fleshman, Oct. 24, 1866. To this union three sons and two daughters were born. Samuel A. Bradley, of Newport, Va., William Bradley of Bluefield, W. Va. (now deceased) E. A. Bradley of Pittsburgh, W. Va., Mrs. M. L. Hanna and Mrs. Mary E. Bradley of Lindside, W. Va. "Uncle George" as every one called him, was tenderly cared for during his illness by his family and neighbors, his daughter attending ministry to his needs and nothing was left undone that could add to his comfort. That life is precious to his children, is evidenced in Mine who gave us, but the memory of it will live in the minds and hearts of those will left behind, where it can never die. Brother Bradley had been a member of the Brethren Church for approximately 50 years and a minister for 30 years. He was a faithful shepherd over his flock at Spruce Run Church, during all these years. But his labors were not confined to this church alone, but he travelled far and near and many souls in bondage, preaching Jesus to the lost. His one great desire was to keep sure the onward. He was a good and obliging neighbor, a loving husband and an affectionate father and will be greatly missed by all.

The funeral for this good man was held at the late home on March 16th by Elders John Peters and Henry Clower at Fraankin Co., Va., from a Thursday 4P.

His wife preceded him to the grave in July, 1932.

The great esteem in which this good man was held was manifested by the large crowd which followed him to the last resting place near his home. The Bradley Cemetery. "He fought the good fight—He kept the faith and a crown awaits him.

Mrs. Mary R. Broyles.

BRADLEY—William Green Bradley was born near Lindside, Monroe Co., West Virginia, August 2, 1851. Died in the bounds of the Spruce Run congregation, same county and state, May 29th, 1934, making his sojourn on earth 83 years, 8 months and 27 days. He was the last to go of a family of fourteen children. He was a brother of the late Elder Geo. W. Bradley and an uncle of Dr. Bradley of Lindside, West Va. Brother Green was a member of the Old German Baptist Church for more than a half-century. On June the 28th, 1877, he was married to Linnie Fleshman, who preceded him in death a number of years. He leaves to mourn his going, one son and one daughter: Letcher Bradley and Annie M. Bradley of Linside, West Virginia.

Funeral held in the Spruce Run church by the brethren from 1st Cor. 15th chapter, to a large congregation of sorrowing relatives and friends. Interment in the Fleshman Cemetery. Peace to his ashes. H. E. Boone.

CABLE — Mary Amanda Cable, daughter of Isaac and Laura Cable, was born near Astoria, Ill., December the 18th, 1926; departed this life May the 19th, 1934 at the Memorial Hospital in Beardstown, Ill., at the age of 12 years, 5 months and 1 day.

Mary leaves to mourn her passing, father, mother, one brother, Delbert, and one sister, Anna Belle, at home, and five half-brothers, Cecil, of Browning, Ill., Oscar, of Monticello, Ill., Lester, of Flint, Mich., Ralph and Paul of Browning, and three half-sisters, Cora and Emma, of Flint, Mich., and Martha at home.

Mary's illness was of short duration. She was taken with flu, later lobe pneumonia developed which was the cause of her death. All that medical skill, scientific treatment and kind and tender care could do, could not stay the resistless hand of Death, and in the early morn of May the 19th, her spirit quietly left her mortal body, to be with God who gave it.

In the passing of Mary, the circle of friendship among the little folks has been broken, and many hearts have been made sad; for her kind and pleasant disposition had won for her many friends.

Funeral services were held in the Mudvalley Church, May the 23rd, by Elder J. M. Wagoner and the writer, after which the body was laid to rest in the grave-yard near by.

J. D. Miller.

DOUTHIT—Maria Faw Douthit, the daughter of Elder Jacob and Sister Sarah Martin Faw, was born in Forsyth Co., N. C., January the 3, 1848. Died within the bounds of the Fraternity Church, Forsyth Co., N. C., April the 17, 1934, aged 86 years, 3 months and 14 days. She was married to John Alfred Douthit, March the 21st, 1867, who passed to his reward Dec., 1915. Since that time Sister Maria had lived on at the old home place with two single daughters. She being the last one of the Jacob Faw family to pass away. She has to mourn her departure two sons and five daughters; but we sorrow not as those who have no hope. She joined the Old German Baptist Church many

Hiswife preceded him to the grave in July, 1932.

The great autumn in which this good man was laid was manifested by the large crowd which followed him to the last resting place near his home. The Bradley Cemetery. "He fought the good fight—He kept the faith and a crown awaits him."

Mrs. Mary E. Bradley.

BRADLEY—Woman from Bradley was born near Lindside, Monroe Co., West Virginia, August 6, 1861. Died in the hospital at the Sparrow Run concretation, some months and years, May 29th, 1934, making her age on earth 63 years, 8 months and 27 days. He was the last to go of a family of fourteen children. He was a brother of the late Elder Geo. W. Bradley and an uncle of Dr. Bradley of Lindside, West Va. Brother Green was a member of the Old German Baptist Church for more than a half century. On June the 28th, 1897, he was married to Linnie Wisecarver, who preceded him in death, a number of years. He leaves to mourn his going, one son and one daughter: Lawrence Bradley and Annie M. Bradley of Lindside, West Virginia.

Funeral held in the Sparrow Run church by the brethren from Jerico, 15th chapter, to a large congregation of sorrowing relatives and friends. Interment in the Fleshman Cemetery. Peace to his ashes. H. E. Simms.

CARTER — Mary Amelia Carter, daughter of Isaac and Laura Carter, was born near Astoria, Ill., December the 12th, 1920; departed this life May the 19th, 1934 at the Memorial Hospital in Beardstown, Ill., at the age of 13 years, 5 months and 1 day.

Mary leaves to mourn her passing, and one sister, Anna Belle, at home, and five half-brothers, Cecil, of Browning, Ill., Oscar, of Monticello, Ill., Lester, of Tilton, Mich., Ralph and Paul of Browning, and three half-sisters, Cora and Emma, of Tilton, Mich., and Martha at home.

Mary's illness was of short duration. She was taken with flu, later developing pneumonia, which was the cause of her death. All that medical skill, scientific treatment and loving and tender care could do, could not stay the relentless hand of Death, and in the early dawn of May the 19th, her spirit quietly left her mortal body to be with God who gave it.

In the passing of Mary, the circle of friends in among the little folks has been broken, and many hearts have been made sadder for her kind and innocent disposition had won for her many friends.

Funeral services were held in the Mt. Olive Church, May the 21st, by Elder C. A. Wagoner and the writer, after which the body was laid to rest in the grave yard near by.

J. D. Miller.

FOULTHRIT—Maria Ann Foulthrit, the daughter of Elder Jacob and Sister Sarah, Martin Fox, was born in Forsyth Co., N. C., January the 3, 1844. Died while the bounty of the Fraternity Church, Forsyth Co., N. C., April the 17, 1934, aged 90 years, 3 months and 14 days. She was married to John Alfred Dunkin, March the 21st, 1867, who passed on his reward Dec. 1915. Since this time Sister Maria had lived on at the old home place with two single daughters. She being the last one of the Jacob Fox family to pass away. She has to mourn her departure two sons and five daughters; but we sorrow not as those who have no hope. She joined

years ago, to which she lived faithful and with patience till the end came. She was taken with a stroke of paralysis, April the 14th and passed away on the 17th, never regaining consciousness. She will be greatly missed in the home, church, and community. Funeral services were conducted by Elder E. W. Jamison, of Salem, Va., assisted by Bro. J. E. Beckner and Pre. E. T. Sims, a Baptist minister. Interment in the Fraternity grave-yard. W. A. Beckner.

MILLER—In the bounds of the Yellow Cr. Church, Goshen, Ind., Mary Ann Miller, daughter of Elder Daniel S. and Susannah Miller, was born February 16, 1856, on a farm near Wakarusa, Ind. Departed this life June 6th, 1934 at the age of 78 years, 3 months, and 21 days.

On June 17, 1883 she was united in marriage to Henry C. Miller who preceded her in death, January 22, 1931. To this union were born three children, two daughters and one son. One daughter, Leona, died in infancy.

Surviving are one daughter, Mrs. James Miller, of near Nappanee, Ind., and one son, Amsy Miller, who resides on the home place, seven grandchildren, three great-granchildren, seven brothers, Josiah Miller, of Goshen, Joseph, of Long Beach, California, Jacob, Leander, William, and David, all of Wakarusa, Daniel of Camden, Indiana. One brother, Alpha, preceded her in death about 5 months ago.

She united with the Old German Baptist church in her early life. She lived a consistent Christian life to the end.

Her health began to fail on last November and gradually grew worse until the Lord called her home. When she saw her time was drawing nigh she called for the elders of the church and was anointed with oil. She suffered much the last few days of illness which she bore with patience and expressed a desire and willingness that the Lord would take her home to relieve her of her great pain. She passed away peacefully. We hope our loss is her eternal gain. She was a kind, affectionate, mother, always concerned about the welfare of her family.

Funeral conducted by the undersigned, assisted by Bro. Jacob Frantz, of North Manchester. O. A. Custer.

NEHER—Susan Neher, daughter of Jacob and Esther Frantz, was born 3½ miles east of Silver Lake, Kosciusko Co., Ind., Feb. 24, 1871, and departed this life April 21, 1934 at the age of 63 years, 1 month and 27 days. She was united in marriage to Benjamin Neher, Jan. 16, 1892. To this union were born 6 children (four sons and 2 daughters.) One son preceded her in death. She leaves to mourn her departure her companion, 3 sons and 2 daughters, and 7 grandchildren, namely: Ora, of Claypool, Albert of Warsaw, Hazel of Silver Lake, Golda of North Manchester, Ind, and Austin at home. She also leaves her aged father and 2 brothers—Noah and Ezra Frantz, of North Manchester, Ind. She united with the Old German Baptist Church in early life and lived a consistent life until death. During her long illness she bore it patiently and also remembered the instruction of the Apostle and was anointed with oil in the name of the Lord. Her passing to the great beyond was quiet and peaceful; but we hope our loss is her great gain.

O. A. Custer.

SHOCK — Sister Mary Shock, daughter of Jesse and Polly Petry, was born in Preble Co., near Eldorado, O., April 19, 1857; departed this

years ago, in which she lived faithful and was patient till the end came. She was taken with a stroke of paralysis, April the 16th and passed away on the 17th, never regaining consciousness. She will be greatly missed in the home, church, and community. Funeral services were conducted by Elder E. W. Jamison, of Salem, Va., assisted by Bro. J. E. Beckner and Pre. E. S. Stone, a Baptist minister. Interment in the Fra ternity graveyard. W. A. Backner.

MILLER—In the bounds of the Yellow Cr. Church, Goshen, Ind., Mary Ann Miller, daughter of Elder Daniel S. and Susanna Miller, was born February 16, 1852, on a farm near Wakarusa, Ind. Departed this life June 6th, 1924 at the age of 72 years, 3 months, and 22 days.

On June 17, 1869 she was united in marriage to Henry C. Miller who preceded her in death, January 24, 1921. To this union were born three children, two daughters and one son. One daughter, Leona, died in infancy.

Surviving are one daughter, Mrs. Jamie Miller, of near Wakarusa, Ind., and one son, Amzy Miller, who resides on the home place, seven grandchildren, three great-grandchildren, seven brothers, Jacob Miller, of Goshen, Joseph, of Long Beach, California, Jacob, Lamder, William, and David, all of Wakarusa, Daniel of Canada, Indiana. One brother, Alpha, preceded her in death about 5 months ago.

She united with the Old German Baptist church in her early life. She lived a consistent Christian life to the end.

Her health began to fail in last November and gradually grew worse until the Lord called her home. When she saw her time was drawing near she called for the elders of the church and was anointed with oil. She suffered more the last few days, at times when the pain with patience and expressed a desire, and willingness that the Lord would take her home to relieve her of her great pain. She passed away peacefully. We miss her but it is her eternal gain. She was a kind, affectionate mother, always concerned about the welfare of her family.

Funeral conducted by the undersigned, assisted by Bro. Jacob Frantz, of North Manchester. O. A. Custer.

MEHLEY—Emma Miller, daughter of Jacob and Esther Frantz, was born six miles east of Silver Lake, Kosciusko Co., Ind., Feb. 24, 1872, and departed this life April 21, 1924 at the age of 52 years, 1 month and 27 days. She was united in marriage to Benjamin Mehley, Jan. 19, 1893. To this union were born 6 children (four sons and 2 daughters) two sons preceded her in death. She leaves to mourn her departure her husband, 3 sons and 2 daughters, and 7 grandchildren, namely: Ora, of Claypool, Albert of Warsaw, Ward of Silver Lake, Clara of North Manchester, Ind., and Martha at home. She also leaves her aged father and 2 brothers—Noah and Hiram Frantz, of North Manchester, Ind. She united with the Old German Baptist Church in early life and lived a consistent life until death. During her long illness she bore it patiently and also manifested the instruction of the Apostle and was anointed with oil in the name of the Lord. Her passing to the great beyond was quiet and peaceful; but we hope our loss is her great gain.

O. A. Custer.

SHOCK — Sister Mary Shock, daughter of Jacob and Polly Potts, was born in Preble Co., near Middletown, O., April 19, 1837; departed this

life at the home of her son, Harley, near Eaton, O., May 30, 1934, aged 77 years, 1 month and 11 days.

She was united in marriage to Henry Shock, Feb. 22, 1891, who preceded her in death, March 13, 1901. To this union were born 5 children (3 sons and 2 daughters): 1 son and 2 daughters preceded her in death. The two sons surviving are Frank of Castine, O., and Harley of near Eaton, O., also 5 step children, 1 of whom preceded her in death. Those surviving are Anna Petry, Charles Shock, and Oma House, all of this vicinity and Ida Wilt, of Lakeland, Florida.

She leaves to mourn her departure, 2 sons, 4 stepchildren, 7 grandchildren, 26 step-grandchildren, 3 nephews, 2 nieces, and a host of relatives and friends.

She was the last to depart of a family of 3 children.

She united with the Old German Baptist Church in early life and lived a devoted, humble, and faithful life until the end. This life being manifested in her last sickness of 18 months' duration, which she bore with great Christian fortitude and patience.

She, realizing her condition, desired the last earthly blessing God's children may enjoy and was "anointed in the name of the Lord".

In her passing the church has lost a loyal, faithful Sister; the children, a kind and loving mother, and the community, a true friend.

Her nature was like a rose in bloom—fragrant, sweet, and full.

Now she is departed and like the rose that withers and falls by the wayside—the sweetness, the fragrance, of her life will be only a memory to her children, relatives and her friends.

Funeral services were held in the Prices Creek church house near Eldorado, Ohio, to a large and attentive audience. Service conducted by Solomon Stoner and W. H. Denlinger.

"Gone but not forgotten."

The Children.

SHUMAN—Amanda M. Shuman, daughter of William and Susan Jackson, was born in Hancock Co., Md., March 18, 1861; came to the end of life's journey at the home of her daughter, Mary S. Day, Madison Co., Ind., near Anderson, April 30, 1934, aged 73 years, 1 month, 12 days. She was united in marriage to Henry H. Shuman, June 19, 1877. To this union five sons and two daughters were born. Two sons and one daughter died in infancy. Her husband departed this life May 31, 1917. She leaves to mourn her departure three sons, Elder Luther Shuman, Jehu and Jesse Shuman, one daughter, Mary S. Day, five grandchildren, one half-brother, one half-sister, and many other relatives and friends. She united with the Old German Baptist Church at the age of 20 years, to which she lived a devoted life until her death; and we feel that our loss is her eternal gain. She always enjoyed the worship of the Master, and was a regular attendant at worship as long as her health permitted. When she could not come to the church house any more, she called for worship at the home where she stayed, the members having gathered there for that purpose, a short time before her death. She also remembered the promises and had been anointed. After the death of her husband she lived alone in the old home where she took much pleasure in work, among which was the culture of flowers, remembering her Master who once said "that the wise King Solomon in all his glory was not arrayed like one of these." She never sought the plaudits of the

life at the home of her son, Dandy, near Eaton, O., May 30, 1934, aged 77 years, 1 month and 11 days.

She was united in marriage to Henry Shoel, Feb. 22, 1881, who preceded her in death, March 11, 1921. To this union were born 5 children (4 sons and 2 daughters): 1 son and 2 daughters preceded her in death. The two sons surviving are Fred of Canton, O., and Harley of near Eaton, O., also 5 step children, 1 of whom preceded her in death. These surviving are Anna Fery, Charles Shoel, and Dora Hoag, all of this vicinity and Ida Will, of Lakeland, Florida.

She leaves to mourn her departure, 2 sons, 4 stepchildren, 7 grandchildren, 26 great-grandchildren, 2 great-great, 2 nieces, and a host of relatives and friends.

She was the last to depart of a family of 5 children.

She united with the Old German Baptist Church in early life and lived a devoted, humble, and faithful life until the end. This life being manifested in her last sickness of 18 months' duration, which she bore with great Christian fortitude and patience.

She, realizing her condition, desired the last earthly blessing God's children may enjoy and was "anointed in the name of the Lord."

In her passing the church has lost a loyal, faithful sister; the children, a kind and loving mother, and the community, a true friend.

Her nature was like a rose, in bloom—fragrant, sweet, and full.

Now she is departed and like the rose that withers and falls by the wayside—the sweetness, the fragrance, of her life will be only a memory to her children, relatives and friends.

Funeral services were held in the church at the home of her son, Dandy, conducted by Solomon Hamer and W. E. Dunlapper.

"Close our eyes, Gorgeous"

The Children.

BRITMAN—Amanda M. Brunner, daughter of William and Susan Jackson, was born in Hancock Co., Md., March 15, 1851; came to the end of life's journey at the home of her daughter, Mary S. Long Madison Co., Ind., near Anderson, April 20, 1934, aged 78 years, 1 month, 25 days. She was united in marriage to Henry H. Brunner, June 10, 1877. To this union five sons and two daughters were born. Two sons and one daughter died in infancy. Her husband departed this life May 31, 1917. She leaves to mourn her departure three sons, Elder Luther Brunner, Indianapolis; Sherman, on the farm, Mary S. Long, five grandchildren, one half-brother, one half-sister, and many other relatives and friends. She united with the Old German Baptist Church at the age of 20 years, in which she lived a devoted life until her death, and we feel that our loss is her eternal gain. She always enjoyed the worship at the Mission, and was a regular attendant at worship as long as her health permitted. When she could not come to the church house any more, she called the worship at the home, where she invited the members living gathered there for that purpose, a short time before her death. She also remembered the prisoners and had been anointed for the death of her husband and lived alone in the old home where she took much pleasure in work, among which was the culture of flowers, remembering her Maker who once said "Has the wise King Solomon in all his glory not arrayed like one of these."

dorado, Ohio, to a large and attentive audience. Service conducted by Solomon Hamer and W. E. Dunlapper.

"Close our eyes, Gorgeous"

The Children.

world. You found her in her garden, always the same, interested in her faith and her children, and she will be missed by all. About eight years ago she became afflicted with dropsy, and the last few years she spent in the homes of her children where she was well cared for. While she suffered she bore it with much patience until the Angel of death met her whom she could go with, having that promise, "He that believeth and is baptized shall be saved." Funeral services by the members of Beech Grove church, to a large assembly of people. Solomon Stoner.

WAGONER—In the bounds of the North Fork Church, Carroll Co., Ind., Elizabeth Wagoner, daughter of Isaac and Sarah Cripe, was born near Burlington, Indiana, Jan. 27, 1855; departed this life near Rossville, Indiana, May 27, 1934, aged 79 years and 4 months.

She was united in marriage to Joseph Wagoner, June 13, 1875. To this union were born 4 daughters and 1 son. Rosa departed this life March 11, 1914. Those still surviving are the following:

Bertha Loy, of Delphi, Indiana; Elsia Oaks, of Bringhurst, Indiana; Walter, living at home; Lotta McCallum, of Chicago, Ill.; also 8 grandchildren, 5 great-grandchildren, and 1 brother (Dr. Cripe of Hillisburg, Indiana).

She united with the Old German Baptist church early in life and lived a consistent member until death. A few days before she passed to the great beyond, she called for the anointing which was attended to and was a great comfort to her.

Funeral by the brethren from Rev. 14:12, 13, to an audience of sympathizing members, relatives and friends.

In her departure the children have lost an endearing mother, the church a faithful sister and the neighborhood a good neighbor.

And we have all reasons to believe our loss is her eternal gain. May we all labor to be ready when death comes to leave for the eternal world.

Edward C. Miller.

WRIGHTSMAN—Magdalene Riffey was born in Virginia, Oct. 4th, 1858. Died in the bounds of the Cedar Creek Church, Anderson Co., Kansas, May 5th, 1934, at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Susie Neil of Harris, Kansas, aged 75 years, 7 months and 1 day. Deceased was united in marriage to Anthony Wrightsman, April 22, 1877. To this union were born six children, four daughters and two sons. One daughter dying in infancy, Charley and Samuel, both of Baldwin, Kansas; Mrs. Ida Reed, of Attica, Kansas; Mrs. Rosella Skinnell, of Renton, Wash., and Mrs. Susie Neil, of Harris, Kansas. She also leaves two brothers and one sister, Noah Riffey of Virden, Ill.; Cephas Riffey of Los Angeles, Calif., and Sister Emma Brubaker, of Sawyer, Kansas; also 9 grandchildren, and a host of other relatives and friends to mourn their loss.

Sister Wrightsman had rather poor health for a number of years. Some years before her death her condition became such that she felt that perhaps her time of departure was drawing near, calling for the Elders, was Anointed with Oil in the name of the Lord. But her condition improved and she enjoyed reasonable health for a number of years, when nearly two years ago her health began to fail, and her condition became critical, and she again felt that she wanted to be anointed, whereupon the Elders were

work. She found her in his grandson, always the same, intelligent in her faith and her children, and she will be missed by all. About eight years ago she became afflicted with dropsy, and the last few years she spent in the homes of her children where she was well cared for. While she suffered she bore it with much patience until the Angel of death rest, her when she could go with, having that promise, "He that believeth not be baptized shall be saved." Funeral services by the members of Beech Grove church, to a large assembly of people. Solomon Stump.

WAGONER—In the hospital of the North Fork Church, Carroll Co., Ind., Elizabeth Wagoner, daughter of James and Sarah Crow, was born near Burlington, Indiana, Jan. 21, 1848, departed this life near Illinois, Indiana, May 27, 1931, aged 79 years and 4 months.

She was united in marriage to Joseph Wagoner, June 12, 1867. To this union were born a daughter and 1 son. Ross departed this life March 11, 1914. These still surviving are the following:

Martha Lee, of Lafayette, Indiana, Edna Oakes, of Bloomington, Indiana; Walter, living at home, Lotta McCleland, of Chicago, Ill.; also 3 grandchildren, 3 great grandchildren, and 1 brother (Dr. Crow of Hillsboro, Indiana).

She united with the Old German Baptist church early in life and lived a consistent member until death. A few days before she passed to the great beyond, she called for the anointing which was administered to and was a great comfort to her.

Funeral by the brethren from Acts 14:22, to an audience of brethren, sisters, neighbors, relatives and friends.

In her departure the children have lost an enlightening mother, the church a faithful sister, and the neighborhood a good neighbor.

And we have all reasons to believe our loss is her eternal gain. May we all labor to be ready when death comes to leave for the eternal world.

Edward C. Miller.

WITCHTSMAN—Magdalene Riley was born in Virginia, Oct. 4th, 1858. Died in the home of her Cedar Creek church, Anderson Co., Kansas, May 9th, 1931, at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Susie Neff of Harris, Kansas, aged 72 years, 7 months and 1 day. Deceased was united in marriage to Anthony Witchtsman, April 22, 1877. To this union were born six children, four daughters and two sons. One daughter dying in infancy. Clay and Samuel, both of Eudora, Kansas; Mrs. Ida Howe, of Akron, Kansas; Mrs. Emma Stump, of Denver, Iowa, and Mrs. Susie Neff, of Harris, Kansas. She also leaves two brothers and one sister, Noah Riley, of Sidney, Ill.; Cyprus Riley of Los Angeles, Calif., and Sister Emma Brubaker, of Sawyer, Kansas, also 9 grandchildren, and a host of other relatives and friends to mourn their loss.

Sister Witchtsman has rather poor health for a number of years. Some years before her death her memory became very, that she felt that perhaps her time of departure was drawing near, calling for the elders, was anointed with Oil in the name of the Lord. But her enlightened intellect and unfeigned testimonies held for a number of years, when nearly two years ago her health began to fail, and her condition became quite critical, and she again felt that she was wanted to be anointed, whereupon the Elders were

called and this last requirement was performed. Sister Wrightsman suffered untold agony all through her last sickness, but bore it all with Christian fortitude; her disposition was quiet and lovable which characterizes a child of God. She always showed a willingness to do her part to any in need, and was loved by all both in the Church and out, always showing a great interest in her children. Hers was an exemplary life which all would do well to follow.

Funeral was held in the Bethel Church to a large concourse of friends and neighbors. Funeral sermon by Bro. Daniel Flory, of Douglas Co., Kansas, assisted by the home brethren.

Text used was taken from 2 Timothy, 4th Chapter and 6-7-8 verses, which was selected by the deceased some months prior to her death. After funeral services her body was conveyed to the Cemetery ½ mile west where it was laid away by kind hands to await that glorious resurrection morn.

A. W. Wrightsman —& Family.

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A. W. Hedgeman —& Family.

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Yellow Creek, Elkhart Co., Ind., Nov. 3.

Maple Grove, Miami Co., Ohio, Nov. 3.

Lower Stillwater, Montg. Co., Ohio, Nov. 7.

OBITUARIES

MOTHER

One face for me will never change, its beauty still is sweet,
And will be till at last I come to rest my weary feet
In Aspodel by Jasper seas, inside the gates of gold,
Drawn there because through all this place her smiles foretold.

And if with in the wondrous gates they come and question me,
I think that I shall turn and say, "She led me, Lord, to Thee.
It was a long and weary way, But, Oh, I had to come!
Because her face and smiles were here, to me this seemed my home!"

And then I think the Lord will say, "Fear not, but rest, my child,
I had a mother on the earth, and when she came I smiled.
And so I know the need of yours, Fear not for God is Love,
He makes the mothers-hearts for this Now sing ye hosts above."

Then she will smile again on me, and cherubims will sing,
And I shall lift my head and shout hosannas to my king
The King who gave me her to love, All through the weary land
And now, through love, puts Glory-Palms of Victory in my hand.

Selected by Fanny Beachler, Modesto, Calif., R. 2., Box 1369.

BLACK—John W. Black, of near Union Bridge, Md., was born May 17, 1863; departed this life June 4, 1934 at the age of 71 years, 17 days. He became afflicted with dropsy and complications. He had followed farming for many years, but on account of the state of his health he made sale and rented his farm to a son. He made no profession of religion, but was willing to help his fellow man at any time. His companion, a sister of the Old German Baptist Church, of Beaverdam, Md., has been affiicted for a number of years, having to sit in a chair from morning till eve. He leaves to mourn their loss a loving companion, 13 children, 40 grandchildren and 1 great-grand-child. One son preceded him in death a number of years ago. His funeral was held in the old Beaverdam church, by the brethren, to a large connection of

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OBITUARIES

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And will be till at last I come to rest
my weary feet
In Angoul by Jasper seas, inside the
gates of gold,
Drawn there by some through all the
place her smiles foretold.

And it with in the wonderous spirits
they come and question me,
I think that I shall turn and say, "She
led me, Lord, to Thee.

It was a long and weary way, but,
Oh, I had to travel
through her face and smile were
there, to me, this seemed my
home."

And when I think the Lord will say,
"Fear not, but rest, my child,
I had a mother on the earth, and
when she came I smiled.
And so I know the need of yours, I am
not far from God in Love,
He makes the mother's heart for this
now sing to hearts above."

Then she will smile again on me, and
chanting will sing,
And I shall lift my head and shout
hosannas to my King
The Kiss who gave me her to love,
All through the weary land
And now, through love, puts glory-
bands of victory in my hand.

Selected by Fanny Crackler, Mendota, Ills., R. 2, Box 1394.

BLACKBURN, W. Dick, of near Union Bridge, Md., was born May 17, 1837; converted Feb. 11th June 4, 1861 at the age of 23 years, 17 days. He became afflicted with dropsy and consumption. He had followed farming for many years, but on account of ill state of health he made up his mind to lay down to a son. He made no profession of religion, but was willing to help his fellow man as was found. His conversion, a member of the Old Church, Baptist Church, of Hoovesville, Md., has been adjudged for a number of years, having to sit in a chair from morning till eve. He leaves to mourn, his children, his grandchildren and great-grandchildren. Funeral preached from Isaiah a number of years ago. His funeral was held in the old Hoovesville church, by the brethren, to a large congregation of

neighbors and friends after which his mortal remains were laid to rest in the adjoining cemetery there to await the resurrection morn.

E. J. Gernand.

BOWMAN—Tracy Catherine Bowman, daughter of Benj. and Mary Bowman, was born in Darke Co., O., Oct. 3, 1880. Departed this life June 17, 1934, at the age of 53 years, 7 mo., and 14 days.

She leaves to mourn her departure two brothers, Edward and Daniel, and one sister, Amelia King. She united with the Old German Baptist Church at the age of twenty, of which she remained a devout member the remainder of her life. Her life was devoted to her parents and the rearing of her nephew, Benj. A. Bowman. Many relatives and a host of friends are left to mourn their loss which is her eternal gain.

Funeral services conducted by the Brethren at the Union City District meeting house before a large congregation. Text Rev. 3:20, 21.

Burial in a country cemetery by the side of her parents, south of Coletown, Darke Co., Ohio.

Peaceful rest be hers to enjoy now, after many years of an afflicted mortal life.

Arthur R. King.

CYPHERS—Minerva J. Cyphers, daughter of Brother and Sister Christopher C. Coy, deceased, was born February 3rd, 1867, died July 2nd, 1934, aged 67 years, 4 mos., and 29 days.

She was united in marriage to Henry Cyphers June 9th, 1892, who preceded her in death January 14th, 1918.

To this union were born seven (7) children, William, Mrs. Harley Shiverdecker, Mrs. Ralph Cline, Mrs. Guy McMichael, Daniel and Lester surviving, and Samuel who preceded her in death.

She is mourned by her children, thirteen (13) grand-children, and five (5) brothers.

Her funeral was conducted in the church in Alpha, Ohio, and the remains laid to rest in the Beaver Cemetery, Greene County, Ohio.

J. C. Darst.

DAVISON—William Henry Davison, son of Levi and Elizabeth (Eisenberg) Davison, was born in Noble Co., near Kendalville, Indiana, Oct. 23, 1861. Departed this life near Quinter, Kansas, June 28, 1934, age 72 years, 8 months and 5 days.

He had been in failing health the past year and a half and since Dec. 1933 had made his home with his daughter, Mrs. Ezra Jamison.

He was married Oct. 11, 1885, to Laura (Long) Good. To this union were born 5 children of whom one son and one daughter and wife preceded him in death. Those surviving are: Artie, of Westphalia, Kans.; Oliver of David City, Nebr.; and Vinna of Polo, Ill.

On Sept. 5, 1897 he was again married to Emma L. Funderburgh. To this union were born 7 children of whom 4 sons preceded him in death. Those surviving are his wife, 2 daughters and one son (namely) Delta Wray of Ottawa, Kans.; Martha Jamison, and Gerald Davison of Quinter, Kans.; 11 grand-children and one great grand-child, besides a host of friends.

He was a member of the Old German Baptist church a good many years living faithful until death. About six weeks before his death he was anointed with oil in the name of the Lord. We trust our loss is his eternal gain.

neighbors and friends, after which his mortal remains were laid to rest in the adjoining cemetery there to await the resurrection morn.

E. L. Lamand.

BOWMAN—Tracy Catherine Bowman, daughter of Elon and Mary Bowman, was born in Paris, Co., O., Oct. 3, 1850. Departed this life June 17, 1934, at the age of 83 years, 7 mos., and 14 days.

She leaves to mourn her departure two brothers, Edward and Theodore, and one sister, Amelia Elue. She united with the Old Bowman Baptist Church at the age of twenty, of which she remained a devout member the remainder of her life. Her life was devoted to her parents and the rearing of her nephew, Fred A. Bowman. Many relatives and a host of friends are left to mourn their loss which is her eternal gain.

Funeral services conducted by the Brethren at the Guam City Church, meeting house before a large congregation. Text Rev. 3:20, 21.

Buried in a country cemetery by the side of her parents, south of Columbiana, Stark Co., Ohio.

Funeral text be here to enjoy now, after many years of an affectionate mortal life.

Archer E. King.

CYRINIUS—Minerva A. Cyrinius, daughter of Hooker and Sidney Cyrinius, born C. Co., deceased, was born February 3rd, 1867, died July 23, 1934, aged 67 years, 5 mos., and 22 days.

She was united in marriage to Oliver Cyrinius June 9th, 1886, who preceded her in death January 1st, 1912.

To this union were born seven (7) children, Mrs. William Ely, Mrs. Clay Cyrinius, Mrs. Daniel and Leslie Cyrinius, and Samuel who preceded her in death.

She is mourned by her children, sixteen (16) grand-children, and five (5) brothers.

Her funeral was conducted in the church in Athens, Ohio, and the remains laid to rest in the Beaver Cemetery, Gallia County, Ohio.

J. E. Davis.

HAYSTON—William Henry Haystón, son of Isaac and Elizabeth (Cumberland) Haystón, was born in Scioto Co., near Portsmouth, Ohio, Oct. 23, 1861. Departed this life near Quincy, Kansas, June 28, 1934, age 72 years, 8 months, and 5 days.

He had been in failing health the past year and a half and since Dec. 1933 had made his home with his daughter, Mrs. Nora Jennings.

He was married Oct. 11, 1885, to Laura (Lou) Good. To this union were born 5 children of whom one son and one daughter and wife preceded him in death. These surviving are: Mrs. of Wadsworth, Kans.; Oliver of Ravid City, Nebr. and Vinna of Polo, Ill.

On Sept. 6, 1897 he was again married to Emma L. Fredenburgh. To this union were born 7 children, of whom 4 also preceded him in death. These surviving are his wife, 3 daughters and one son (namely) Della A. Wray of Ottawa, Kans.; Minerva Hamilton, and Cornelia Dunlap of Quincy, Kans.; 11 grand-children and one great grand-child, besides a host of friends.

He was a member of the Old German Baptist church a good many years living faithful until death. About six weeks before his death he was converted with all in the house of the family. We trust our loss is his

Funeral was held in the Big Creek church, Gove Co., Kans. Burial in the cemetery nearby.

Services conducted by Bro. Lloyd Oyler assisted by the home brethren from Rev. 14:13. Hymns sung were numbers 483, 455, 399, 425, 384, 387. His place is vacant in our home that never can be filled.

Written by the relatives.

HOLSINGER—Within the Covington district, Ohio, Sister Mary Elizabeth, daughter of Elder Frederic and Sister Mary Cline, was born August 24, 1857. She united with the Old German Baptist Church, Oct. 24, 1877 at the age of 20 years. She departed this life June 15, 1934, aged 76 years, 9 mos., and 22 days. She was united in marriage to Perry Anderson Holsinger. To this union were born 8 children (5 sons and 3 daughters) of whom 3 sons preceded her in infancy. Her husband also preceded her March 11, 1925. She leaves to mourn their loss 2 sons (Frederic Martin and Samuel Earnest) both of Covington, Ohio, and 3 daughters (Mary Catherine Holsinger, of Bradford, Ohio, Virginia Frances Barnhart, of New Carlisle, Ohio, and Ruth May Rudy, of Pleasant Hill, Ohio), also 2 sisters (Sarah Brumbaugh, of Dayton, Ohio, and Jennie Miller, of Lima, Ohio) and 14 grandchildren.

She was a kind and devoted mother and sister in the church and was loved and will be greatly missed by all who knew her, both in church and neighborhood.

Funeral was held in the Covington meeting-house, by Bro. Solomon Stoner and the home brethren, to a large and attentive congregation of neighbors and friends. Text: Rev. 14:12.

Burial in the Highland Cemetery at Covington.

P. D. Bowman.

HUFFORD—Sister Margaret Jane Hufford, daughter of Jesse and Matilda Daniels, was born near Prince William, Ind., on May 27, 1843, and departed from this life, at the home of her daughter, Mary Eavey, at Edna Mills, Ind., on June 16, 1934, at the ripe old age of 91 years, 21 days.

On July 21, 1864 she was united in marriage to Abraham Hufford. Seven children were born to this union, four of whom preceded their mother in death. Those surviving are: Sarah Eavey, of Kilmore, Ind., James, of Lafayette, Ind., and Mary Eavey of Edna Mills, Ind. Her husband preceded her in death 12 years. She united with the church early in life and remained faithful till death. During her sickness she called for the elders of the church and was anointed according to the instructions of the apostle. Funeral was conducted by the home brethren in the Middle Fork church, from Job. 5:26 and Psalm 103:15, 16.

Jacob W. Skiles.

JOHNSON—James B., eldest son of Joseph I. and Eurith Johnson, was born on the same farm on which his father was, near Uniontown, Fayette County, Pennsylvania, March 1, 1870 and peacefully fell "asleep in Jesus" in the Mud Valley district of church, Ill., June 6, 1934, aged 64 years, 3 months and 6 days.

At the age of 9 years, he with his widowed mother, came to Illinois, where he grew to manhood.

On October 31, 1898 he was united in marriage to Rosetta Miller. To this union 3 children were born, Paul, Ruth and Mary. Ruth preceded him February 10, 1907.

He with his wife, was baptized into the Old German Baptist Church, October 29, 1905.

Funeral was held at the Hay Creek church, Cove Co., Iowa. Burial in the cemetery nearby.

Services conducted by Bro. Lloyd Oyler assisted by the home brethren from Rev. 14:13. Hymns sung were numbers 423, 424, 399, 425, 434, 437. His place is vacant in our home that never can be filled.

Written by the relatives.

HOLSINGER—Within the Covington district, Ohio, Sister Mary Ellen Holsinger, daughter of Elder Frederick and Sister Mary Ellen, was born August 21, 1857. She united with the Old German Baptist Church, Oct. 24, 1877, at the age of 20 years. She departed this life June 12, 1934, aged 76 years, 9 mos., and 22 days. She was united in marriage to Henry Anderson Holsinger. To this union were born 8 children (4 sons and 4 daughters) of whom 3 sons preceded her to eternity. Her husband also preceded her March 11, 1923. She leaves to mourn their loss 2 sons (Frederick Martin and Samuel Earnest) both of Covington, Ohio, and 2 daughters (Mary Catherine Holsinger, of Bradford, Ohio, Virginia Frances Bardner, of New Carlisle, Ohio, and Sister Mary Ruth, of Pleasant Hill, Ohio), also 2 sisters (Sarah Brumbaugh, of Dayton, Ohio, and Jennie Miller, of Lima, Ohio) and 14 grandchildren.

She was a kind and devoted mother and sister in the church and was loved and will be greatly missed by all who knew her, both in church and neighborhood.

Funeral was held in the Covington meeting-house, by Bro. Solomon Sanger and the home brethren, in a large and attentive congregation of neighbors and friends. Text: Rev. 14:13.

Buried in the Highland Cemetery at Covington.

P. D. Bowman.

HUFFORD—Sister Margaret Jane Hufford, daughter of Jesse and Martha Farmer, was born near Prince William, Ind., on May 27, 1843, and departed from this life, at the home of her daughter, Mary Hawes, at Zionsville, Ind., on June 10, 1934, at the ripe old age of 91 years, 21 days.

On July 21, 1864 she was united in marriage to Abraham Hufford. Seven children were born to this union, four of whom preceded their mother in death. Those surviving are: Sarah Kenny, of Kingston, Ind., Jessie, of Lafayette, Ind., and Mary Emily of Zions Mills, Ind. The husband preceded her in death 12 years. She united with the church early in life and continued faithful till death. During her sickness she called for the elders of the church and was anointed according to the instructions of the apostle. Funeral was conducted by the home brethren in the Zionsville church, Ind. 3:33 and Rev. 20:14, 15.

Jacob W. Stokes.

ZUMBRUN—James D., eldest son of Joseph A. and Sarah Zumbrun, was born on the same farm on which his father was, near Uniontown, Fayette County, Pennsylvania, March 1, 1870 and peacefully fell "asleep in Jesus" in the Mud Valley district of church, Ill., June 9, 1934, aged 64 years, 3 months and 8 days.

At the age of 9 years, he with his parental mother, came to Illinois, where he grew to manhood.

On October 21, 1896 he was united in marriage to Rosetta Shafer. To this union 3 children were born, Pearl, Ruth and Mary. Ruth preceded him February 10, 1907.

He with his wife, was baptized into the Old German Baptist Church, October 28, 1900.

On September 16, 1908 he was elected to serve in the office of deacon which he did most faithfully as long as his health permitted. On March 1, 1928 he suffered a stroke of paralysis. On March 27 of the same year he called for the elders of his beloved fraternity and was anointed with oil in the name of the Lord. During his illness he asked that the following words of advice be copied for his children which was done by his loving wife:

Live in Peace,

Be true and kind to one another and treat each other fairly.

Don't forget the Lord, the church, your Mother and the poor wherever you are.

Always be willing to go more than halfway, and let each see the other has his portion in every way.

Be faithful to attend meeting and council and all church work.

Respect the elders and those that have rule over the church.

Read the Bible and obey its commandments.

Only those who were nearest to him could know the purity of his heart. He was a man of few words, but proved his undying faith by many noble deeds.

For the past two years he was practically an invalid and those who cared for him can truly say his was a God-like patience.

He will be greatly missed, especially by his wife, who was constantly by his side and his dear aged mother who so tenderly administered to his needs.

Those who are left to mourn are his devoted wife, one son, Paul R., one daughter, Mary E. Barnes, two grandchildren, Joanna Ruth and William C. Johnson, his aged mother, Eurith Saurbaugh, one brother, Immel Johnson, of Astoria, two step-brothers, George Saurbaugh also of Astoria, Isaac Saurbaugh of Albert, Kansas, and many other relatives and friends.

He was a dutiful son, a kind and loving father and a husband much loved and respected by all who knew him, and while out loss is his great gain, we rejoice that he is not dead, but only asleep in the arms of Jesus.

Funeral services were held Friday afternoon, at 2 o'clock at the Old German Baptist Church conducted by Bro. Solomon Stoner of Pendleton, Indiana, assisted by the home brethren from Romans 14th chapter, 8th verse. Interment in the cemetery near the church.

MILLER—Died within the bounds of the Upper Twin Creek Church, Preble Co., Ohio, Sister Elizabeth Miller, daughter of Bro. David O., and Sister Barbara Wogoman. Was born in Montgomery Co., Ohio, Sept. 6, 1853; died July 5, 1934, aged 80 yrs., 9 mos., and 29 days. On October 13, 1872, she was united in the holy bonds of matrimony to Isaiah Miller. To this union were born 4 sons and 1 daughter, of whom 3 sons preceded her in death. Her husband, Bro. Isaiah, also preceded her to the spirit world a number of years.

Soon after her marriage she united with the Old German Baptist Church to which she lived a consistent member till death. She called for the elders of the church and was anointed with oil in the name of the Lord. She leaves to mourn their loss her son, David Miller and her daughter, Emma Wilson, of near West Alexandria, Ohio, 5 grand-children, and 4 great-grand-children, whose loss we hope is her eternal gain.

Funeral conducted by the brethren in the Wolf Creek M. H.

Samuel Leedy.

On September 10, 1905 he was elected to serve in the office of deacon which he did most faithfully as long as his health permitted. On March 1, 1922 he suffered a stroke of paralysis. On March 27 of the same year he called for the elders of his beloved fraternity and was anointed with oil in the name of the Lord. During his illness he asked that the following words of advice be carried for his children which was done by his loving wife:

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Read the Bible and obey its commandments.

Only those who were privileged to can could know the purity of his heart. He was a man of few words but proved his working faith by many noble deeds.

For the past two years he was practically an invalid and cheerfully endured for him can truly say his was a God like patience.

He will be greatly missed, especially by his wife, who was constantly at his side and his dear aged mother who so tenderly administered to his needs.

Those who are left to mourn are his devoted wife, one son, Neal E., one daughter, Mary E. Barnes, two grandchildren, Jeanne Kahl and William C. Johnson, his aged mother, Edith Sanderbergh, one brother, Jacob Sanderbergh, one sister, Georgie Sanderbergh also of Astoria, Isaac Sanderbergh of Albany, Kansas, and many other relatives and friends.

He was a dutiful son, a kind and loving father and a husband much loved and respected by all who knew him, and while our loss is his great gain, we realize that he is not dead, but only asleep in the arms of Jesus.

Funeral services were held Friday afternoon, at 2 o'clock, at the Old Freeman Heater Church and conducted by Bro. Eugene Shirey of Lancaster, Interment, assisted by the home brethren from Romeoville Church, with were interment in the cemetery near the church.

BRITLEBER—Died within the bounds of the Upper Twin Creek Church, Preble Co., Ohio, Sister Elizabeth Britleber, daughter of Bro. David O., and Sister Barbara Wagaman. Was born in Montgomery Co., Ohio, Sept. 6, 1839; died July 5, 1924, aged 80 yrs., 9 mos., and 29 days. On October 30, 1873, she was united in the holy bonds of matrimony to Isaiah Britleber. To this union were born 4 sons and 1 daughter, of whom 3 sons preceded her in death. Her husband, Bro. Britleber, also preceded her to the spirit world a number of years.

Soon after her marriage she united with the Old German Baptist Church in which she lived a consistent member for all about. She called for the elders of the church and was anointed with oil in the name of the Lord. She leaves to mourn their loss her son, David Britleber and her daughter, Emma Wilson, of near West Alexandria, Ohio, 3 grand-children, and 4 great-grandchildren, whose loss we hope is but eternal gain.

Funeral conducted by the brethren in the Well Creek M. H.

Samuel Leady

MEADOR—Joyce Ann Meador, daughter of Paul and Cozetta Metzger Meador, was born near Pyrmont, Ind., Aug. 13, 1932, and died at the home of her parents in Rossville, Ind., on June 26, 1934, aged 1 year, 10 months and 13 days. Her life which was so precious to the family and those near her was of short duration but it was long enough to endear her to her parents and the family. The cause of her death was a very sad accident. She was thought to be in the house, but unnoticed, she had gone into the yard and was playing behind her father's automobile, and when he went to back out of the driveway one of the wheels passed over her head causing almost instant death. Surviving are the parents, two sisters, Lavaun and Bethel, and two brothers, Duane and Ivan, three grand parents, Mass and Mary Meador, of near Pyrmont, Ind., and Noah Metzger, who is enroute to California, one great-grandmother, Elizabeth Boone, 98 years old, and many other relatives and friends to whom she had endeared herself during her short life. Funeral was conducted in the Middle Fork church, by the undersigned assisted by Eld. Joseph L. Fisher and Bro. Harrison Rule. Buried in cemetery near by.

Text used, 1 Thess. 4:13-18 and Zech. 8:5. Jacob W. Skiles.

PRICE—Jacob D., son of Abram and Sister Mary Price, of the Antietam congregation, near Waynesboro, Pa., was born Oct. 24, 1892; died Apr. 4, 1934, aged 41 years, 5 mos., 10 days. Jacob was an industrious young man, followed trucking, always seemed very agreeable to be with. He was missed around the home and on a search for him he was found out in a little woods where the children had a play-house. He was lying on the ground, a revolver by his side, and with two bullet holes in his forehead. It is hardly known how he met the end, whether he took his own life or was shot by some one else. No one knew of him having any enemies. He apparently had no trouble, things generally being agreeable around the home. His mother preceded him in death, Feb. 23, 1933. He leaves to mourn their loss, father and two sisters.

His funeral was held in the Prices Grove meeting house, by the brethren, to a large assembly of neighbors and friends, after which the body was laid to rest in the adjoining cemetery. We may not know now, but some day we will understand.

E. J. Gernand.

PLUNKETT—Elder Moses Plunkett, son of Bro. Sidney and Sister Sarah Plunkett, was born near Salem, Franklin Co., Va., Feb. 4th, 1848. He departed this life July 6th, 1934, at his home near Westphalia, Anderson Co., Kansas, age 86 years, 5 months, and 2 days.

On October 4th, 1870, he was married to Sister Sarah Filbrun, of Girard, Illinois, who survives him. To this union were born 6 daughters, two of whom preceded him in death, Clara Arvilla in 1892, and Lydia Elizabeth in 1897. Surviving children are Mary Etta Hofman, of Sawyer, Kansas, Martha Ann Beckner, of Westphalia, Kansas, Caperna Ilena Eikenberry, of Mulberry, Ind., and Emma Jane Wagoner, of Westphalia, Kansas. He is also survived by a brother, Anthony, also a half brother and a half sister, all of near Roanoke, Va. There are 21 living grand-children and 19 great-grand-children.

He was baptized early in life, in Virginia, after the Civil war. He moved to Illinois in 1881. He was

MEADOR—Joyce Ann Meador, daughter of Isaac and Cornelia Meador, Meanor, was born near Fremont, Ind., Aug. 13, 1922, and died at the home of her parents in Zionsville, Ind., on June 24, 1924, aged 1 year, 10 months and 12 days. The life which was so precious to the family and those near her was of short duration but it was long enough to endear her to her parents and the family. The cause of her death was a very sad accident. She was thought to be in the house, but unnoticed, she had gone into the yard and was playing behind her father's automobile, and when he went to back out of the drive way one of the wheels passed over her head causing almost instant death. Surviving are the parents, two sisters, Lavona and Esther, and two brothers, Duane and Ivan, three grand parents, Max and Mary Meador, of near Fremont, Ind., and Rose Meador, who is enroute to California, one great-grandmother, Elizabeth Bloom, 94 years old, and many other relatives and friends to whom she had endeared herself during her short life. Funeral was conducted in the Middle Fork church, by the undersigned assisted by Eld. Joseph L. Fisher and Bro. Harrison Rule. Burial in cemetery near by.

Text used, 1 Thess. 4:13-18 and Zech. 8:5. Jacob W. Stoke.

PRICE—Jacob D., son of Abram and Sister Mary Price, of the Antietam congregation, near Waynesboro, Pa., was born Oct. 26, 1839, died Apr. 4, 1924, aged 84 years, 5 months 10 days. Jacob was an industrious young man, followed farming, always seemed very agreeable to be with. He was missed around the home and on a search for him he was found and in a little woods where the children had a play-house. He was lying on the ground, a revolver by his side, and with two bullet holes in his forehead. It is doubtful known how he met the end, whether he took his own life or was shot by some one else. No one knew of him having any enemies. He apparently had no trouble, judge generally being agreeable around the home. His mother preceded him in death, Feb. 23, 1885. He leaves to mourn their loss, father and two sisters.

His funeral was held in the Price grove meeting house, by the brethren, to a large assembly of relatives and friends, after which the body was laid to rest in the adjoining cemetery. We may not know now, but some day we will understand.

E. J. Greenawalt.

PLUNKETT—Elder Moses Plunkett, son of Eld. Sidney and Sister Sarah Plunkett, was born near Salem, Franklin Co., Va., Feb. 4th, 1816. He departed this life July 6th, 1924, at the home near Zionsville, Anderson Co., Kansas, age 88 years, 5 months and 2 days.

On October 4th, 1840, he was married to Sister Sarah Ann Price, of Clinton, Illinois, who survives him. To this union were born 9 daughters, two of whom preceded him in death, Clara Amelia in 1852, and Lydia Elizabeth in 1907. Surviving children are Mary Etta Holsinger, of Sawyer, Kansas, Mrs. Ada Bechner, of Westchester, Kansas, Caperna Dora Eikenberry, of Kimberly, Ind., and Emma Jane Tanner, of Westphalia, Kansas. He is also survived by a brother, Sidney, also a half brother and a half sister, all of near Staunton, Va. There are 21 living grand-children and 14 great grand-children.

He was baptized early in life, in Virginia, after the Civil war. He moved to Illinois in 1881. He was

elected to the ministry in Nebraska; he moved to Kansas in the pioneer days of 1884, when there were only six members in the vicinity. In his early days he spent most of his time at carpentry, but his most enduring structures were built by his earnest labors in the service of his Master, all of his children were led to become members of the church. He was ordained to the Eldership in the Cedar Creek church, Anderson Co., Kansas, in 1903. His church council was sought and respected by many in various parts of the Brotherhood; directness and sincerety were his typical characteristics.

His infirmities of age first confined him to his bed on July 2nd. Fortitude and patience in suffering characterized his latter days. He realized his declining strength and called for the Anointing the day before his death, his children surrounded his couch, he was conscious until near the end. He lived a long and useful life. May his ashes rest in peace, awaiting the glorious resurrection morn.

Funeral services in Cedar Creek church, Kans., on July 9, were conducted by Eld. Daniel Flory and the home brethren.

Signed by the Family.

LETTERS AND MONEY RECEIVED

FOR MONTH ENDING JULY 14, 1934

Mabel Wrightsman		J. W. Skiles	
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Mrs. J. B. Johnson		Iva B. Clear	
Susie Oliver		Elizabeth Coning	
Lloyd O. Miller		David Mohler	
Eldo H. Wagoner		F. A. Eller	
S. P. Garman		Samuel Leedy	
J. C. Darst		Wm. C. Brunk	
Jacob Wagoner		J. W. Skiles	
J. B. Flora		Frank H. Pierce	
Jos. L. Wray	$ 1.50	H. L. Heinrich	.30
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Funeral service in Cedar Creek church, Kans., on July 2, were conducted by Eld. Daniel Flory and the home brethren.

Signed by the Family.

LETTERS AND MONEY RECEIVED

For week ending July 14, 1934

Fred Wyckoff	J. H. Moore	
Mrs. Ada	Frank Hooker	
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Henry Frye	.25	Jos. H. Neff
S. Miller	1.00	Jesse Myers

GARBER—Jonathan Perry Garber, son of Jonathan and Catherine (Rife) Garber was born near New Lebanon, Montgomery Co., Ohio, Feb. 17. 1856 and died near Brookville, Ohio, July 31, 1934, aged 78 years, 5 months, 14 days.

Dec. 27, 1877 he was united in marriage to Thirza Oliver. To this union were born 5 children, namely: Homer Horton, Cora May Wampler, Ivan Claude, Ada Florence Deeter and Lulu Ellen Wade. His wife died in March, 1897. On March 2, 1901 he was united in marriage to Elizabeth (Frantz) Neher. To this union was born one daughter, Rachel Eti Landes.

In the spring of 1897 he confessed Christ as his Savior, was baptized and received into the followship of the Old German Baptist Church in the Wolf Creek district, and continued faithful in the same until his death.

The immediate cause of his death is believed to have been heart failure induced by the excessive heat of the weather.

In a former illness he requested the anointing which was administered by the elders of the church in the name of the Lord and which gave him much comfort, and he was restored to health.

He was of a family of 17 children of whom all except 2 preceded him in death. One son, Homer, also passed on before him. There survive to mourn his departure, his second wife, one son, four daughters, thirty-eight grandchildren, six great-grandchildren, one brother, one sister and many other relatives and friends.

His life vocation was that of farming in the practice of which he was industrious, frugal, efficient and successful. He was a man of integrity, kindness, honesty, sympathy and helpfulness, willing to do his part in the church and neighborhood. He will be missed from his accustomed place in the home and in the church and from the large circle of his friends and acquaintances. Funeral was held at the Wolf Creek church, Aug. 2. Services by Elder Wm. N. Kinsey, assisted by home ministers. Burial in Trissel cemetery.

J. M. KIMMEL.

LESH—Ella Howell Lesh, daughter of Richard and Barbara Howell, was born near Medaryville, Indiana, June 28, 1874. Died at her home north-east of Flora, Ind., July 5, 1934; aged 60 years, and 7 days. On June the 4th, she went to The Good Samaritan Hospital at Kokomo, Indiana where she submitted to a major operation. Following the operation complications developed from which she was unable to recover.

On December 8, 1895, she was united in marriage to Daniel E. Lesh. To this union three children were born, all surviving. They are as follows: Mrs. Geneva Krammes, wife of Earl Krammes, of Burlington, Indiana, Orville J. Lesh, at home, and Jennings D. Lesh, of Deer Creek, Indiana. These children, with the husband, two sisters, Mrs. Lydia Rubar, of Cambridge, Iowa, and Mrs. Laura Randle, of Rennselaer, Indiana; six grandchildren, and a large legion of friends, are left to mourn her departure.

Her entire life until 1910 had been spent near Rennselaer, Indiana. She then moved to Wisconsin for seven years. Seventeen years ago with her family she moved to the farm home two and one half miles north-east of Flora. She united with the Old German Baptist Church in October 1915, ever afterwards living a life that was consistant with the faith. Knowing her demise was near she called for the

CARTER—Jonathan Perry Carter, son of Jonathan and Catherine (Riley) Carter was born near New Lebanon, Montgomery Co., Ohio, Feb. 17, 1846 and died near Brookville, Ohio, July 31, 1934, aged 78 years, 5 months, 14 days.

Dec. 27, 1877 he was united in marriage to Tabitha Oliver. To this union were born 5 children, namely: Homer Harlan, Cora May Wampler, Ivan Claude, Ada Florence Lawler and Lola Ellen Wade. His wife died in March, 1887. On March 2, 1901 he was united in marriage to Elizabeth (Frantz) Weber. To this union was born one daughter, Rachel Eu Lawder.

In the spring of 1887 he confessed Christ as his Savior, was baptized and received into the fellowship of the Old German Baptist Church in the Wolf Creek district, and continued faithful in the same until his death.

The immediate cause of his death is believed to have been heart failure induced by the excessive heat of the weather.

In a funeral sermon he requested the anointing which was administered by the elders of the church in the name of the Lord and which gave him much comfort; and he was restored to health.

He was of a family of 17 children of whom all except 2 preceded him in death. One son, Homer, also passed on before him. There survive to mourn his departure, his second wife, one son, four daughters, thirty-eight grandchildren, six great-grandchildren, one brother, one sister and many other relatives and friends.

His life vocation was that of farming in the practice of which he was industrious, frugal, efficient and successful. He was a man of integrity, fidelity, willing to do his part in the church and neighborhood. He will be missed from his accustomed place in the home and in the church and from the happy circle of his friends and companions. Funeral was held at the Wolf Creek church, Aug. 2. Services by Elder Wm. M. Kinsey, assisted by home ministers. Burial in Tissel cemetery.

J. M. KINSEL.

LIGHT—Ella Hewitt Light, daughter of Richard and Barbara Hewitt, was born near Mooresville, Indiana, June 24, 1871. Died at her home northeast of Knox, Ind., July 9, 1934; aged 63 years, and 5 days. On June the 4th, she went to The Good Samaritan Hospital at Rochester, Indiana where she underwent an operation for cancer. Following the operation complications developed from which she was unable to recover.

On December 6, 1893, she was married to Harvey Jerome Light. To this union three children were born, all surviving. They are Dorothy Mae Garner, Kokomo, Ind., Earl Kinnear, of Burlington, Indiana, Orville A. Light of Bunker Hill, and Lindsay H. Light of Wolf Creek, Indiana. There remain, with the bereaved husband, Mrs. Linda Hewitt, of Cambridge City, and Mrs. Laura Hewitt, of Connersville, Indiana; six grandchildren, and a large legion of friends, who left to mourn her departure.

She entire life until late had been spent near Connersville, Indiana. She then moved to Kokomo for several years. Seventeen years ago with her family she moved to the farm home where she died. She united with the Old German Baptist Church in October 1913, and after much living a life that was consistent with the faith. Knowing

Elders, and according to James, was anointed with oil, in the name of the Lord, a few days before her death, after which she peacefully fell asleep.

Funeral services were held at the Flora church, Sunday morning at 10 o'clock, Elder John F. Flora, assisted by Arthur Silvers of Dayton, Ohio, officiating. Burial was made in Maple Lawn cemetery.

BY THE FAMILY.

MONTGOMERY— Owen Montgomery, son of Andrew and Saloma Montgomery, was born in Franklin County, Virginia, Nov. 26, 1848 and died at his home in the Lower Stillwater district of Church, near Dayton, Ohio, July 5, 1934, aged 85 years, 7 months and nine days.

On Dec. 8, 1870 he was united in marriage to Mary Catharine Flory; to this union was born one daughter.

His companion departed this life November 2, 1871.

In 1875 he came to Ohio and lived there the remainder of his life.

On November 26, 1876 he was united in marriage to Lydia Ann Denlinger; to this union were born five children, 3 sons and 2 daughters.

This his second companion departed this life Oct. 15, 1888.

He was then married to Ella King of Darke County, Ohio, Oct. 27, 1889; to this union was born one son. In all seven children were born unto him and all preceded him in death.

His son Albert, well known in this community, preceded him in death slightly more than one year.

He leaves to mourn his departure his companion, two foster daughters, Anna and Nana Webster, one son-in-law, James Harmon, of Brookville, Ohio, and his daughter-in-law, Leona Montgomery, of this vicinity; 16 grand-children, 6 foster grand-children, 2 brothers (Michael of Mo., and David of Va.) and a host of other relatives and friends.

He was elected to the deacon's office in April, 1874, in which office he served the church faithfully until called by death.

On the twenty-fourth of April, he feeling the need of complying with the Lord's last command, called for the Elders and was anointed with oil in the name of the Lord.

He was a man of marvelous ambition, not only in temporal affairs, but also in things concerning the church and his counsel will be greatly missed in different ways.

He has fought the good fight, he has finished his course and as a sheaf of ripened grain is ready for the harvest.

We bid him adieu and speak peace to his ashes.

Funeral in Lower Stillwater churchhouse conducted by Elder Peter D. Bowman and the home brethren, to a large concourse of people; burial in cemetery near by.

Text Rev. 14:12 and 13. Hymns used Nos. 386, 398, 399 and 400.

VERNON DENLINGER.

NEAD—Reed Hixon Nead, son of John and Lucinda Nead, was born in Sullivan Co., Ind., May 15, 1866 and departed this life near Elkhart, Ind., July 23, 1934, aged 68 years, 2 mos., and 8 days. He was united in marriage with Nancy Alice Keever, Jan. 31, 1887, to which union were born one son and five daughters, namely: Flora Louisa and Edna Belle, deceased, John Marion, Goshen, Ind., Mary Lucinda Long, Thomas, Okla., Esther Alice Schoen, Lebanon, Kans., Elice Elizabeth Crist, Westphalia, Kans. He also leaves 2 brothers, (Jared, Yates Center, Kans.) and 2 sisters (Nancy Criss and Dorcas Seems, Lebanon,

Elder, and accordingly to James, was anointed with oil, in the name of the Lord, a few days before her death, after which she peacefully fell asleep.

Funeral services were held at the Flora church, Sunday, meeting at 10 o'clock, Elder John T. Eisen, assisted by Arthur Silvers of Denton, Ohio, officiating. Burial was made in Maple Lawn cemetery.

BY THE FAMILY.

MONTGOMERY—Owen W. Montgomery, son of Andrew and Sarah Montgomery, was born in Franklin County, Virginia, Nov. 26, 1848 and died at his home in the Lower Stillwater district of Church, near Dayton, Ohio, July 6, 1924, aged 75 years, 7 months and nine days.

On Dec. 3, 1870 he was united in marriage to Mary Catherine Flory—to this union was born one daughter.

His companion departed this life November 3, 1871.

In 1876 he came to Ohio and lived there the remainder of his life.

On November 28, 1879 he was united in marriage to Lydia Ann Landis—to this union were born five children, 3 sons and 2 daughters.

This his second companion departed this life Oct. 12, 1903.

He was then married to Ella Stone of Darke County, Ohio, Oct. 27, 1909—to this union was born one son. In all seven children were born unto him and all preceded him in death.

He was Albert, well known in the community, passed with in death slightly more than one year.

He leaves to mourn his departure his companion, two sons, daughters, Anna and Nora Wagner, one sister-in-law, James Harrison, of Brookville, Ohio, and his daughter-in-law, Lorna Montgomery, of this vicinity; 16 grand-children, 4 sister grand-children, 2 brothers (Michael of Md., and David of Va.) and a host of other relatives and friends.

He was elected to the deacon's office in April, 1874, in which office he served the church faithfully until called to death.

On the twenty-fourth of April he, feeling the need of complying with the Lord's last command, called for the Elders and was anointed with oil in the name of the Lord.

He was a man of marvelous restitution, not only in temporal affairs, but also in things concerning the church and his counsel will be greatly missed in different ways.

He has fought the good fight, he has finished his course and as a sheaf of ripened grain is ready for the harvest.

We bid him a tear and speak peace to his ashes.

Funeral in Lower Stillwater church, brown conducted by Elder Peter D. Brown and the home brethren, to a large congregation of people; burial in neighbor's near by.

Text Rev. 14:12 and 13. Hymns used Nos. 750, 806, 809 and 400.

VERNON DENNIS.

NEAL—Vernon Dixon Neal, son of John and Lucrecia Neal, was born in Sullivan Co., Ind., May 16, 1866 and departed this life near Elkhart, Ind., July 22, 1924, aged 58 years, 2 mos. and 6 days. He was united in matrimony with Nancy Alice Meeker, Jan. 31, 1887, to which union were born one son and five daughters, namely: Flora Lucinda and Edna Belle, deceased, John Marion, Corydon, Ind., Mary Lucinda, Iowa, Theresa, Indianapolis, Alice Coleman, Lebanon, Ohio, Elsie Elizabeth Cook, Westphalia, Ind. He also leaves 2 brothers, Edward, Ind., Charles, Ind.) and 2 sisters (Nancy Cyline and Dorcas Boone, Indiana,

Kans.). His wife Nancy departed this life Nov. 29, 1916. He was again united in marriage with Rosa A. Dale, July 8, 1917. He united with the Old German Baptist Church about 42 years ago, was called to the deacon's office in 1893 and elected to the ministry in 1908 and advanced to the eldership some 5 years ago which office he retained at his death. In 1924 he took his stand with the Covington Petitioners.

He leaves to mourn his departure his second wife, 4 children, 18 grandchildren, 3 great-grand-children and a host of other relatives and friends.

Funeral was held at the home by John H. Leedy and Lloyd Flora. Text Rev. 14:13 and St. John 14:1-5. We hope our loss is his eternal gain. The body was laid to rest in the Kulp graveyard.

JOHN M. NEAD, Son.

PATRICK—Lydia Dell Patrick (nee Aug) wife of Richard Patrick, was born August 18th, 1883, near Clay City, Ind. Departed this life July 15th, 1934. Age 50 years, 10 months and 27 days.

She leaves to mourn, her side companion and four children: Rex H. Patrick and Mrs. Iva P. Williamson of Indianapolis. Also Mildred and Ruby at home. Two daughters, Fay Lorean, age 9 months and Elva Irene age 10 years have gone on before to await their mother's coming.

She also leaves two grand-children, Barbara May and Richard Harold Patrick, two brothers, Rude and Frank Aug of Illinois, also two sisters, Mrs. Ollie Kackley and Mrs. Emma Renner of Casey, Illinois. Also a host of other relatives and friends.

Lydia submitted to an operation April 14th, 1934, at St. Frances Hospital of Beech Grove, Ind., near her home, from which she never recovered.

She was very patient through all her sickness and on Saturday evening, June 23rd, at 8:30 P. M., she was received into "The Old German Baptist" church as far as her strength permitted, which seemed to ease her mind so much.

She will be greatly missed in her family circle as well as by the near relatives and friends. Funeral was held in the North Fork meeting house with a large congregation of sympathizing relatives and friends and then the body was laid to rest by the side of one of her little daughters. One by one our loved ones leave us behind in this world of trouble and sorrow. Funeral was preached by Bros. Joseph Fisher and Luther Shuman.

IDA E. PATRICK, Flora, Ind.

SLOTHOWER— Bro. George W. Slothower, eldest son of Mr. and Mrs. George Slothower was born in York County, Pa., June 10, 1844, and died at the home of his daughter Mrs. Floyd Quillin, at Osborne, Kans., July 15, 1934. Age 90 years, one month, 5 days. He was married to Sarah Springer in 1873, who passed to the great beyond Apr. 3, 1920. To this union were born four children: Martha J., who died in infancy; the surviving children are John M., of Beloit, Wis., Joseph A., of Bloomington, Kans., and Mrs. Floyd Quillin, of Osborne, Kans. Two brothers, David of Dillsburg, Pa.,Levi, of Philadelphia, Pa., and one sister, Emma, of Harrisburgh, Pa. These with the 16 grandchildren and 4 great-grandchildren, are left to mourn his departure. Bro. and Sister Slothower came to Kansas in 1880, settling on a farm six miles south-east of Osborne. Two different times, they lived in Osborne; each time the lure of the farm called them.

Kans). His wife Nancy departed this life Nov. 29, 1916. He was again united in marriage with Rosa A. Cole, July 8, 1917. He called with the Old German Baptist Church about 45 years ago, was called to the deacon's office in 1893 and elected to the ministry in 1902 and advanced to the eldership some 5 years ago which office he retained at his death. In 1921 he took his stand with the Conservative Brethren.

He leaves to mourn his departure his second wife, 4 children, 18 grandchildren, 2 great-grandchildren and a host of other relatives and friends.

Funeral was held at the home by John H. Lehy and Elijah Flora. Text: Rev. 14:13 and St. John 14:1-6. We hope our loss is his eternal gain. The body was laid to rest in the Kelly graveyard.

JOHN M. MEAN, Sen.

PATRICK—Lydia Ind. Patrick (nee Aug) wife of Richard Patrick, was born August 13th, 1853, near Clay City, Ind. Departed this life July 15th, 1934. Age 80 years 10 months and 27 days.

She leaves to mourn, her husband, Benjamin and four children: Ben H. Patrick and Mrs. Iva I. Williams of Indianapolis. Also Mildred and Rudy at home. Two daughters Pay Lurton, age 8 months and Elva Irene, age 10 years have gone on before to await their mother's coming.

She also leaves two grandchildren, Barbara May and Richard Harold Patrick, two brothers, Hugh and Frank Aug of Illinois, also two sisters, Mrs. Ollie Kadsby and Mrs. Emma Reamer of Casey, Illinois. Also a host of other relatives and friends.

Lydia submitted to an operation April 14th, 1934, at St. Francis Hospital of Terre Haute, Ind., from which she never rallied. Her body was laid to rest in the Clay City cemetery.

Funeral was preached by Brothers Joseph Tilber and Luther Bonham.

IDA E. PATRICK, Flora, Ind.

STOTROVER— Bro. George W. Stotrover, oldest son of Mr. and Mrs. George Stotrover was born in York County, Pa., June 10, 1854, and died at the home of his daughter Mrs. Floyd Quillen, at Osborne, Kans., July 16, 1934. Age 80 years, one month, 6 days. He was married to Sarah Engelmyer in 1875, who passed to the great beyond Apr. 5, 1920. To this union were born four children: Martha J., who died in infancy; the surviving children are John M., of Bethel, Wis., Joseph A., of Bloomington, Kans., and Mrs. Floyd Quillen, of Osborne, Kans. Two brothers, David of Gettysburg, Pa., Levi, of Philadelphia, Pa., and one sister, Emma, of Harrisburg, Pa. Times with the 16 grandchildren and 4 great-grandchildren are left to mourn his departure. Bro. and Sister Stotrover came to Kansas in 1906, settling on a farm six miles south-east of Osborne. Two different times, they lived in Osborne; each time the hire of the farm called them back to the farm home, from which she never recovered.

She was very patient through all her sickness and on Saturday evening, June 23rd, at 8:30 P. M., she was received into "The Old German Baptist" church as far as her strength permitted, which seemed to ease her mind so much.

She will be greatly missed in her family circle as well as by the near relatives and friends. Funeral was held in the North Fork meeting house with a large congregation of sympathizing relatives and friends and then the body was laid to rest by the side of one of her little daughters. One by one our loved ones leave us behind in this world of trouble and sorrow. Funeral was preached by Bros. Joseph Tilber and Luther Bonham.

They endured all the hardships of the pioneers. After the death of his wife, he bought what is now the J. W. Harvey ranch; after living there a few years, he disposed of it and lived with his daughter for two years. Then becoming dissatisfied he went to the Eight Mile District to be among the church people of his choice, The Old German Baptists. Remaining there eight years. When his health began to fail, his daughter brought him to her home where he was tenderly cared for, everything being done to make his declining days as pleasant as possible. When the end came he went peacefully to sleep in the arms of his Savior in whom he had implicit trust.

He remembered the instruction of James 5:14-16. He faithfully served the church in the deacon's office and was a member 60 or more years. Funeral services were conducted at the home of his daughter Tuesday afternoon, July 17, by Bro. Amos Barnhart, assisted by Brethren John Kinsley, and W. R. Barnhart, all of the Eight Mile District. Text: 1 Cor. 15:22-23. Hymns 391, 384, 399, at the grave, 400. Burial was made by the side of his wife in the Osborne cemetery.

W. R. BARNHART.

VAIL—Aaron Waldo Vail, son of Daniel and Sarah Vail, was born on the old Puterbaugh homestead in Liberty township, Darke Co., Ohio, on July 13th, 1889. While just a mere boy his parents moved to the present home in Greenville Township.

When the war clouds hung dark and dreary over Europe, Waldo with thousands of young men of our fair land were called to be sacrificed on the altar of the god of War.

His service extended from June 22, 1918 to Feb. 4, 1919. While at the front, he with many others was overcome by gas.

Waldo was home less than a year when his malady became noticeable, gradually becoming worse, until it was almost unbearable; yet through it all he never complained.

The intense heat of the last few days was too much for him in his weakened condition, to withstand, resulting in the flight of his spirit on Sunday evening, July 22nd, to his Maker who doeth all things well.

On the other side is a loving father and a baby sister waiting to welcome him home. On this side is an aged mother; his sister Abbie; five little nephews, many relatives and a host of friends, whose heads are bowed in sorrow at his passing. He died at the age of 45 years and 9 days.

Funeral services held at the Palestine Church by the brethren, on Wednesday P. M., July 25th. Text: St. John 17:3. Burial in the Miller Cemetery near the Palestine church.

Arthur R. King.

WOLFE—Daniel Malen, departed this life within the bounds of the Highland Church District, Frederick County, Maryland, June 20, 1934, aged 87 years, two months and 29 days. Having spent his entire life in the community from which he was called to his reward of a long and faithful service.

He with his companion united with the Old German Baptist Church in early life. Thus ended a life of Christian piety and fidelity to the God he loved, and in whom he ever trusted, of at least 65 years, and having gained the last victory through Jesus Christ, we trust is already basking in our heavenly Father's love, and while that tongue has been made silent by that grim monster, death, thanks be to God he will still be speaking. Speaking to whom? Speak-

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W. E. KARNAHAN.

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On the other side is a loving Father and a godly sister awaiting to welcome him home. On this side is an aged mother; his sister Abbey; two little nephews; many relatives and a host of friends, whose hearts are bowed in sorrow at his passing. He died at the age of 4- years and 9 days.

Funeral services held at the Pleasant Ridge Church by the brethren, on Wednesday P. M., July 23rd. Text: St John 17:3. Buried in the Miller Cemetery near the Palestine church.

Arthur E. King.

WOLFE—Daniel Malen, departed this life within the bounds of the Highland Church District, Frederick County, Maryland, June 28, 1924, aged 87 years, two months and 23 days. Having spent his entire life in the community from which he was called to his reward of a long and faithful service.

He was in companionship united with the Old German Baptist Church in early life. Thus ended a life of Christian piety and fidelity to the Church, and in whom he ever trusted, of a long 60 years, and leaving behind the last vacancy through death. Dear, we know is already back in our heavenly Father's love, and where that tangle has been made asunder by that mere monster, death. Blessed be to God he will still be speaking. Speaking to whom? Speak-

ing to his community, to many kindred ones of his home. Already on last Sunday two of his grand-daughters united with the church by baptism. Well said the Revelator, while we rest from our labors our works do follow us.

The deceased was blest with a family of ten children, four preceded him in death. Thirty-two grand children and thirty great-grand-children survive.

The deceased suffered a decline in health for some time, at which time he called for the anointing, which seemed to give him much comfort, and when the last crucial hour came to him he calmly and peacefully breathed out his last silent farewell to so many kindred ones, who had gathered round his bedside, to bid the last silent farewell to a loving father, neighbor and friend.

On June 22 many neighbors and friends gathered at the home to pay the last respect to the departed, after which the body was conveyed to its last resting place in the Beaverdam cemetery, there to await the resurrection morn.

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Text from Numbers 23:10.

S. F. REPP.

LETTERS AND MONEY RECEIVED

Ross B. Fisher		Aaron Fisher	
S. P. Garman		B. E. Beckner	
Agnes A. Brubaker		Harman Lentz	
Mabel Wrightsman		M. Montgomery	
H. E. Boone		A. R. King	
Ida E. Patrick		Lee Barnhart	
M. J. Kinsley		J. F. Shaeffer	
S. F. Repp		Mary Holsinger	
A. C. Hess		Andrew Skiles	
John M. Nead		Mrs. S. T. Wade	
W. R. Barnhart		J. E. Keiser	
Lee Barnhart	$ .55	Frank H. Pierce	1.00
Charlotte Denlinger	1.00	Joel Barnhart	1.48
Ross B. Fisher	.40	Chas. E. Long	.20
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Prices Creek, Preble Co., Ohio, Nov. 3.

Yellow Creek, Elkhart Co., Ind., Nov. 3.

Maple Grove, Miami Co., Ohio, Nov. 3.

Lower Stillwater, Montg. Co., Ohio, Nov. 7.

Shoal Creek, Newton Co., Mo., Nov. 9.

Palestine, Darke Co., Ohio, Nov. 10.

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In behalf of the church.

Daniel Flory.

We, the members of the Antietam District, Franklin Co., Pa. have set apart and named the 3rd and 4th of November for our Lovefeast, at the Prices Grove meeting house. The usual invitation to all especially the ministry. Come be with us. In behalf of the church.

C. C. Frey.

OBITUARIES

IN MEMORY OF LOVED ONES

A voice is hushed that used to speak,
To you in love's low tone;
Dear hands are folded out of sight,
Which oft have clasped your own.

Fond memories of the past to you,
The present now they seem;
They linger in your heart today
Just like a pleasant dream.

'Tis hard to part from those we love,
Who have life's journey run,
And harder still to teach our hearts
To say, "Thy will be done."

We should not question God's design,
While passing 'neath the rod;
We know 'tis true what he has said,
"Be still; I am thy God."

His chastening hand may send the blow;
The other, heal the wound;
Hark, hear the soothing message now,
"There's balm in Gilead found."

That cleansing balm will fit our souls,
When we from earth retire
To hear the words from lips Divine,
"It is enough; come higher."

'Tis sweet to know there is a land
Where severed ties may meet,—
Where broken links, in friendship's chain
May all be made complete.

We sometimes sigh for that bright land,
Where loved ones fondly wait
To clasp our hands with welcome home,
When passing through the gate.

Selected by Ida M. Hubbard, Salem, Va.

DENLINGER—In the Lower Stillwater church, Montgomery Co., Ohio, Bro. Samuel S. Denlinger. Born Jan. 16, 1866, died July 10, 1934. Aged 68 yrs, 5 mo. and 24 days. He was the eldest son of Daniel and Elizabeth Denlinger.

At an early age, in 1888, he joined the Old German Baptist church, in which he remained faithful until death.

Middle Fork, Clinton Co., Ind., Oct. 31.

Walnut Creek, Johnson Co., Mo., Nov. 8.

Pierce Creek, Preble Co., Ohio, Nov. 2.

Yellow Creek, Elkhart Co., Ind., Nov. 2.

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Dear hearts are folded out of sight,
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Fond memories of the past to you,
Are sweeter than words can express,
Thus lingers in your hearts today
Like a pleasant dream.

To hard to part from those we love,
Who have left life's journey run,
And harder still to teach our hearts
To say, "Thy will be done."

We found not our question God's design,
While pacing north the road;
We know not the cross what he has said,
"He will, I am his God."

His chastening hand may send the blows,
The sorrow, bind the wound;
Hark, hear the soothing message now,
"Thorn's balm in Gilead found."

That chastening hand will in our souls,
When we feel with tears
To hear the words from the Divine,
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The sweet in home there is a land
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We some time sigh for that bright home,
Where loved ones lovely sway;
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Home.
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Selected by Ida M. Hobbard, Sexton, Ia.

DESHLINSKEY—In the Lower Stillwater church, Monroe Co., Ohio, Elias Deshlinsky, born Jan. 16, 1850, died July 16, 1924, aged 74 yrs. 7 mo. and 24 days. He was the oldest son of David and Elizabeth Deshlinsky.

At an early age, in 1866, he joined the Old German Baptist church, in which he remained faithful until death.

In the year of 1890 he was joined in holy matrimony to Charlotte Beinhauer.

He leaves to mourn him his wife, one daughter, Nora Hammond, one son, Russell, four brothers, Jessie, Ira, Harvey, Albert, and one sister, Emma Wenger, nine grandchildren, besides a host of other relatives and friends.

FLORA — Joyce Marie Flora, daughter of Bro. Tiry and Sister Nora Flora, was born near Rossville, Ind., July 9 and died August 9, 1934, aged one month. Her life which was of so short duration was very precious to her parents and those near her. Her death was caused by acute indigestion.

Surviving are her father and mother, one sister Alice, two grandfathers, one grandmother, one great grandmother and many other relatives.

Funeral was conducted by the home brethren at the Middle Fork church from Jer. 31:15-17.

Jacob W. Skiles.

MYER—Within the Flora district, Indiana, Sister Emma A., daughter of Abraham J. and Mary Barnard Flora, was born June 13, 1860; departed this life August 25, 1934, aged 74 years, 2 months and 12 days.

Early in life she united with the Old German Baptist Church, in which she lived a consistent life. During her last sickness she called for the elders of the church and was anointed with oil in the name of the Lord as recorded by James.

She was united in marriage to David Myers November 9th, 1879. To this union were born 10 children, six of whom preceded her in death. Those remaining, besides the companion, are Charles E., Everett A., and Sister Anna E. Flora, companion of Brother Ezra Flora, all of Flora, Lee E. Myer of San Antonio, Texas, and a daughter-in-law, Sadie Myer of Camden, Ind., 14 grandchildren, and one great grandchild. Also one brother, Frank Flora, of Peoria, Ill., two half-brothers, Riley and Perry Flora, and one half-sister, Lora Stinebaugh, all of Flora, besides many other relatives and friends.

Funeral services were conducted in the meeting house by Brother Joe Fisher, the undersigned, and the home brethren.

Burial in the Maple Lawn Cemetery just across the road from her home.

John F. Flora.

KLEPINGER — Maranda Ullery Klepinger, eldest daughter of Aaron and Mary Ullery, was born January 9, 1852 in Montgomery County, Ohio, near Dayton, and departed this life on the 8th day of August, 1934, aged 82 years, 6 months and 29 days. On March 12, 1874 she was united in marriage to John Klepinger, who preceded her in death on April 16, 1926. In 1879 they both were baptized into the Old German Baptist Church, to which vows both remained faithful.

To this union were born three sons: Ora, Ward, and Melvin; and one daughter, Mrs. Elizabeth Jackson, the latter having departed this life on December 6, 1913.

She leaves to mourn her departure the three sons, two sisters, Mrs. Hattie Royer and Mrs. Ellen Coffman six grandchildren, nine great grandchildren, and a host of relatives and friends.

Due to the infirmities of age, she had been failing in health for the past several years; especially during the last several months had her decline been rather rapid. On the morning of August 8 it was apparent that she was much worse and couldn't possibly

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He leaves to mourn him his wife, one daughter, Mara Hammond, one son, Russell, four brothers, Jacob, Ira, Harvey, Albert, and one sister, Emma Wenger, nine grandchildren, besides a host of other relatives and friends.

FLORA — Joyce Marie Flora, daughter of Ira, Trip and Sister Flora Flora, was born near Roseville, Ind., July 3 and died August 9, 1934, aged one month. Her life when was of so short duration was very precious to her parents and their dear boy. Her death was caused by acute indigestion.

Surviving are her father and mother, one sister Alice, two grandfathers, one grandmother, one great grandmother and many other relatives.

Funeral was conducted by the home brethren at the Middle Fork church from her. Burial.

Jack W. Sallee.

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Early in life she united with the Old German Baptist Church, in which she lived a consistent life. During her last sickness she acted for the elders of the church and was anointed with oil in the name of the Lord as recorded by James.

She was united in marriage to Jacob Myers November 6th, 1878. To this union were born 10 children, six of whom preceded her to the grave. Those remaining, besides the aforesaid, are Charles E., Everett A., and Sister Anna E. Flora, companion of Brother Ira Flora; all of Flora, Ind.; Mrs. E. Myer of San Antonio, Texas, and a daughter-in-law, Sarah Myers of Lafayette, Ind., 14 grandchildren, and one great grandchild. Also one brother, Frank Flora, of Peoria, Ill., two half-brothers, Riley and Perry Flora, and one half-sister, Lucy Stineburgh, all of Flora, besides many other relatives and friends.

Funeral services were conducted at the meeting house by Brother Joe Fisher, the immediate, and the home brethren.

Burial in the Maple Lawn Cemetery, just across the road from her home.

John E. Flora.

ELDERSDER — Marinda Hilary Elsberger, eldest daughter of Aaron and Mary Hilary, was born January 9, 1855 in Montgomery Co., Ohio, near Dayton, and departed this life on the 8th day of August, 1934, aged 79 years, 6 months and 29 days. On March 10, 1873 she was united in marriage to John Elsberger, who preceded her in death on April 18, 1924. In 1879 they both were baptized into the Old German Baptist Church, to which they both remained faithful.

To this union were born three sons: Oscar, Ward, and Melvin; and one daughter, Mrs. Elizabeth Jackson, the latter having departed this life on December 8, 1933.

She leaves to mourn her departure one living son, two sisters, Mrs. Hattie Moyer and Mrs. Ella Coffman, six grandchildren, nine great grandchildren, and a host of relatives and friends.

Long in the infirmities of age, she suffered in failing in health for the past several years, especially during the last several months, but she bore it all, leaving rather rapid. On the morning of August 8 it was apparent that she was much worse and suddenly passed

remain with us much longer. Shortly after ten o'clock that night, with her three sons at her bedside, she breathed her last and her spirit took its flight from its earthly home to that final resting place beyond the cares and burdens of this life.

Funeral services held August 11th in the Lower Stillwater M. H., from Eccl. 7:2, by the brethren. Burial in cemetery near by.

Geo. Bowser.

WOLF—Frank Wolf was born Feb. 26, 1913. Died May 31, 1934. Aged 21 years, 3 months and 5 days. He was the youngest son of Brother Jacob and Sister Anna Wolf. He leaves to mourn his departure father, mother and four brothers (Paul and William of Quinter, Kans., Sam and Philip at home) and Mrs. Della Turner who had made her home with the family and many other relatives and friends. His death was caused by pneumonia. He was always a dutiful son, loving and kind, with a smile and good word for all.

Funeral was held in the Big Creek meeting-house by Brother Dan Wertz, of Quinter, Kans., and Brethren Noah Garber and John Reece of Sawyer, Kansas. Text Phil. 1:22. Burial in cemetery nearby.

D. J. Wertz.

LETTERS AND MONEY RECEIVED

FOR THE MONTH ENDING SEPT. 14, 1934

Anna Stamy		Mary M. Price	
Wm. Crowl		Roy S. Miller	
J. J. Skiles		David Mohler	
Mrs. Eva Wagoner		Wm. J. Peters	
Daniel Flory		Mrs. Lydia Sherer	
Isaac Buckingham		Mabel Wrightsman	
John F. Flora		Calvin E. Wagoner	
C. L. Woodbridge		Esther B. Petry	
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Geo. Lowner.

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D. J. Wells.

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I. A. Kelso	Fern Jones	
Mrs. Ida Hanson	Jos. I. Lane	
Daniel Fox	Jas. Allen Fox	
Jas. Brubaker	Geo. Brubaker	
John T. Fox	Chas. T. Swank	
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Jas. Fox	Jos. Fox, Sr.	
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x Arnet, C. A., Pittsburg, O.
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2 Balsbaugh, Albert, Flint, R. D. 6, Mich.
2 Barnhart, W. R., Ottawa, R. D. 4, Kans.
1 Barnhart, Lee E., Rio Oso, Calif.
1 Barnhart, Amos A., Ottawa, R. D. 4, Kans.
x Bashore, Isaac H., Encampment, Wyo.
2 Bayer, A. S., Smithsburg, R. D. 3, Maryland.
x Beckner, W. A., Winston-Salem, R. D. No. 2, N. C.
2 Beckner, J. E., Winston-Salem, R. D. No. 2, N. C.
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x Benedict, H. G., Waynesboro, R. D. 2, Pa.
2 Benedict, I. P., Waynesboro, R. D. 1, Pa.
2 Benedict, Ezra G., Fayetteville, R. D. 2, Pa.
1 Benedict, D. G., Chambersburg, R. D. 1, Pa.
2 Blickenstaff, J. E., Rt. 2, Bx. 1180, Modesto, Calif.
x Boone, Cephas R., Sawyer, R. 1, Kans.
2 Boone, H. E., Rocky Mount, R. D. 4, Va.
1 Boone, T. C., Winchester, R. D. 6, Ind.
x Bowman, D. L., New Carlisle, R. D. 3, Ohio.
x Bowman, B. H., Rocky Mount, R. D. 1, Va.
x Bowman, P. D., 721 E. Spring St., Covington, O.
2 Bowman, Levi, Covington, R. D. 3, Ohio.
x Bowser, George, Clayton, R. D. 1, Ohio.
1 Boyd, Ira, Camden, R. D. 1, Ind.
2 Brooks, J. C., Newtonia, R. D. 1, Mo.
x Brovont, Jos., Lake Odessa, R. D. 3, Mich.
x Brovont, Henry E., Lake Odessa, R. D. 3, Mich.
x Brubaker, J. A., New Carlisle, O.
x Brubaker, Henry D., Westphalia, R. D. 3, Kans.
x Brubaker, Uriah F., Flora, R. D., 1, Ind.
x Brubaker, Amos, Eaton, R. D. 10, Ohio.
1 Burns, Earl D., Davison, R. D. 2, Mich.
2 Butts, Marcus, Greenville, 301 Euclid Ave., Ohio.
x Cabaniss, J. E., Eaton, R. D. 5, Ohio.
x Cable, Isaac, Browning, R. D. 2, Ill.
1 Clark, Paul H., R. D. 2, New Lebanon, Ohio.
x Coning, Jesse M., N. Manchester, R. D. 5, Ind.
x Coning, D. M., Dayton, R. D. 10, Ohio.
2 Coning, Wm. H., Lakeland, R. D. 4, Fla.
2 Cool, Ezra, Dayton, R. D. 10, Ohio.
x Cool, Martin V., Bradford, R. D. 4, Ohio.
x Cover, J. A., Modesto, Rt. 2, Box 1160, Calif.
x Custer, G. P., Lima, Ohio. R. 3.
x Custer, O. A., N. Manchester, R. D. 5, Ind.
x Darst, J. C., Dayton, R. D. 2, O.
x Denlinger, W. H., R. 3, New Madison, Ohio.
x Denlinger, Vernon, Dayton, R. D. 10, Ohio.
1 Denlinger, E. J., R. 4, Eaton, Ohio.
2 Ebersole, Wm. H., Goshen, R. D. 5, Ind.

The names of ministers in the first degree are preceded by 1, those in the second degree by 2, those in Deacon's ship by x.

1 Abers, J. H., Oakvale, W. Va.
x Arnet, C. A., Pittsburg, O.
1 Austin, Maynard, Cutler, R. F., Ind.
2 Baldwin, Albert, Flint, R. R. 6, Mich.
2 Barnhart, W. H., Ottawa, R. D. 4, Kans.
1 Barnhart, Lee E., Rio Oso, Calif.
1 Barnhart, Jesse A., Ottawa, R. D. 4, Kans.
x Bashore, Isaac H., Roosevelt, Wyo.
2 Bayne, A. S., Smithsburg, R. D. 3, Maryland.
x Bechtner, W. A., Winston-Salem, R. D. No. 3, N. C.
2 Berkner, J. E., Wilson Station, R. D. No. 2, Ill.
x Bechtel, H. E., Arnaudo, R. D. No. 1, Ohio.
x Benedict, H. C., Waynesboro, R. D. 3, Pa.
2 Bauslet, J. P., Waynesboro, R. D. 1, Pa.
2 Dimmick, Ezra C., Fayetteville, R. D. 2, Pa.
1 Beardley, D. O., Chambersburg, R. D. 1, Pa.
2 Bikenstaff, J. H., Rt. 3, Box 1163, Modesto, Calif.
x Boone, Cedric E., Sawyer, R. 1, Kans.
2 Boone, H. E., Rocky Mount, R. D. 4, Va.
1 Boone, T. C., Winchester, R. D. 6, Ind.
x Bowman, D. L., New Carlisle, R. D. 3, Ohio.
x Bowman, H. M., Rocky Mount, R. D. 1, Va.
x Bowman, P. D., 721 E. Spring St., Covington, O.
2 Bowman, Levi, Corlington, R. D. 2, Ohio.
x Bowen, George, Clayton, R. D. 1, Ohio.
1 Boyd, Ira, Canton, R. D. 1, Ind.
x Brooks, J. C., Mentonia, R. D. 1, Mo.
x Brewer, Joe, Lake Odessa, R. D. 1, Mich.
x Brevoot, Henry E., Lake Geneva, R. D. 3, Mich.
x Brubaker, J. A., New Carlisle, O.
x Brubaker, Henry D., Westfalia, R. D. 3, Kans.
x Brubaker, Uriah K., Tiffin, R. D. 5, Ind.
x Brubaker, Amos, Eaton, R. D. 10, Ohio.
1 Burns, Earl D., Dawson, R. D. 2, Mich.
2 Burns, Stayton, Greenville, 301 Eldridge Ave., Ohio.
x Cameron, A. E., Eaton, R. D. 3, Ohio.
x Cable, Isaac, Sycamore, R. D. 2, Ill.
1 Clark, Earl H., R. D. 4, New Lisbon, Ohio.
x Conley, Jesse W., Mooresville, R. D. 3, Ind.
x Cotton, R. M., Tipton, R. D. 10, Ohio.
x Conine, Wm. H., Lakeland, R. D. 4, Kan.
1 Coal, Ezra, Hagerstown, R. D. 3, Ohio.
x Coal, Martin V., Brookford, R. D. 4, Ohio.
x Cover, J. A., Modesto, Rt. 3, Box 1169, Calif.
x Custer, C. F., Lima, Ohio, R. 4.
x Custer, O. A., R. Manchester, R. D. 3, Ind.
x Dean, J. C., Dayton, R. D. 2 a.
x Deardorff, W. H., R. 4, New Madison, Ohio.
x Detwiler, Vernon, Dayton, R. D. 10, Ohio.
1 Denlinger, E. J., R. 4, Eaton, Ohio.
2 Eberzole, Wm. H., Goshen, R. D. 6, Ind.

2 Eikenberry, Ervan, Eaton, R. D. 10, Ohio.
x Eller, F. A., Camden, R. D. 4, O.
2 Eller, Wm., Camden, R. D. 4, O.
x Fisher, Jos. L., Kokomo, R. D. 2, Ind.
x Fisher, Calvin, Bringhurst, R. D. 1, Ind.
x Fisher, Lawrence, Flora, Ind.
x Fisher, H. M., Covington, R. D. 3, Ohio.
2 Fisher, B. E., Brookville, R. D. 4, Ohio.
1 Fisher, Ross B., Eaton, R. D. 6, Ohio.
x Flora, John F., Flora, Ind.
x Flora, Geo. B., Flora, Ind.
x Flora, J. B., Camden, Box 231, Ind.
x Flora, Howard, Peru, R. D. 3, Ind.
2 Flora, Alfred, Flora, Ind.
x Flory, Daniel, Lawrence, R. D. 6, Kans.
x Flory, Noah, Westphalia, R. D. 3, Kans.
x Flory, Wm., Sawyer, Kans.
1 Fox, Robert E., Ladiesburg, Md.
x Fox, Franklin C., Ladiesburg, Md.
x Frantz, Jacob, Silver Lake, Ind.
1 Frantz, Jesse O., R. 2, Springfield, Ohio.
x Frantz, Jos., New Lebanon, R. D. 1, Ohio.
x Frantz, Simeon, New Carlisle, O.
x Frantz, E. G., Bringhurst, R. D. 2, Ind.
x Frantz, Harrison, Springfield, R. D. 2, Ohio.
2 Frantz, Jacob, N. Manchester, Ind.
x Frey, C. C., Smithsburg, R. D. 2, Maryland.
2 Garber, N. W., Sawyer, R. D. 1, Kans.
1 Garber, Chas., Greenville, R. D. 3, Ohio.
2 Garber, Levi, Peru, R. D. 4, Ind.
1 Garber, L. C., Brookville, R. D. 4, Ohio.
2 Gernand, Ernest, J., R. D. 4, Union Bridge, Maryland.
x Gipe, Jos. H., Chambersburg, R. 6, Pa.
2 Hackman, Chas. M., Lincoln, Pa.
1 Heck, Wm. P., R. D. 2, Westphalia, Kans.
x Hess, A. C., Waynesboro, R. D. 1, Pa.
x Hess, W. T., Waynesboro, R. D. 1, Pa.
2 Hess, Willis A., Winchester, Va.
2 Hicks, Elias E., Bradshaw, Va.
1 Hirt, Ira, Westphalia, R. D. 1, Kans.
2 Hockman, N. A., Springfield, R. D. 2, Ohio.
2 Hubbard, W. R., Salem, R. D. 1, Va.
x Hyre, E. E., Dayton, R. D. 10, O.
x Jamison, C. E., Hollins, R. D. 1, Va.
x Jamison, John S., Hollins, R. D. 1, Va.
x Jamison, E. W., Salem, R. D. 2, Va.
x Kagerice, S. R., Waterside, Pa.
x Kessler, David E., Delphi, R. D. 4, Ind.
2 Kimmel, J. M., Brookville, Ohio.
x King, Lewis W., Greenville, R. D. 4, Ohio.
x King, Arthur R., Greenville, R. D. 8, Ohio.
x Kinsey, Wm. N., Clayton, R. D. 1, Ohio.
x Kinsley, Myron J., Bradford, R. D. 1, Ohio.
1 Kinsley, John M., Pomona, R. D. 1, Kans.
2 Kinzie, W. H., Knobnoster, Mo.
2 Kinzie, Lester R., Macy, R. D. 1, Ind.
x Kreiter, E. E., Whittier, R. D. 3, Box 219, Calif.
x Lair, D. J., Pleasant Plain, R. D. 1, Ohio.
x Landes, Webster, Brookville, R. D. 3, Ohio.

2 Eilenberg, Erwin, Eaton, R. D. 10, Ohio.
x Eller, F. A., Camden, R. D. 4, O.
2 Eller, Wm., Camden, R. D. 4, O.
x Fisher, Jos. L., Estero, R. D. 2, Ind.
x Fisher, Calvin, Bringhurst, R. D. 1, Ind.
x Fisher, Lawrence, Flora, Ind.
x Fisher, H. M., Covington, R. D. 2, Ohio.
2 Fisher, H. E., Brookville, R. D. 4, Ohio.
1 Fisher, Rose E., Eaton, R. D. 6, Ohio.
x Flora, John F., Flora, Ind.
x Flora, Geo. B., Flora, Ind.
x Flora, J. R., Camden, Box 231, Ind.
x Flora, Howard, Flora, R. D. 2, Ind.
2 Flora, Alfred, Flora, Ind.
x Flory, Daniel, Lawrence, R. D. 6, Kans.
x Flory, Noah, Westphalia, R. D. 3, Kans.
x Flory, Wm., Sawyer, Kans.
1 Fox, Robert E., Ladoga, Ind.
x Fox, Franklin C., Ladoga, Ind.
x Frantz, Jacob, Silver Lake, Ind.
1 Frantz, Jesse C., R. 2, Springfield, Ohio.
x Frantz, Jos., New Lebanon, R. D. 1, Ohio.
x Frantz, Simeon, New Carlisle, O.
x Frantz, E. G., Springfield, R. D. 2, Ind.
x Frantz, Harrison, Springfield, R. D. 2, Ohio.
2 Frantz, Jacob, N. Manchester, Ind.
x Frey, C. C., Smithsburg, R. D. 2, Maryland.
2 Garber, N. W., Sawyer, R. D. 1, Kans.
1 Garber, Chas., Greenville, R. D. 3, Ohio.
2 Garber, Levi, Tyro, R. D. 4 Ind.
x Gaskill, J. C., Brookville, R. D. 4, Ohio.
2 Germand, Ernest, L. E. D. 4, Union Bridge, Maryland.
x Gipe, Jos. R., Chambersburg, R. 6, Pa.
2 Mastman, Chas. M., Lincoln, Pa.
1 Mark, Wm. F., R. D. 2, Westphalia, Kans.
x Moss, A. C., Warrensburg, R. D. 1, Pa.
x Moss, W. T., Warrensburg, R. D. 1, Pa.
2 Moss, Hillis A., Wadesville, Va.
2 Moss, Elias E., Broadway, Va.
1 Mutz, Ira, Westphalia, R. D. 1, Kans.
2 Nordquist, N. A., Springfield, R. D. 2, Ohio.
2 Nuttery, W. H., Salem, R. D. 1, Va.
x Nyce, E. E., Dayton, R. D. 10, O.
x Nusbaum, C. E., Hollins, R. D. 2, Va.
x Nusbaum, John S., Hollins, R. D. 1, Va.
x Nusbaum, E. W., Salem, R. D. 2, Va.
x Osborne, S. E., Waterside, Pa.
x Ressler, Owen E., Tadpol, R. D. 1, Ind.
2 Stanner, J. M., Brookville, Ohio.
x Ring, Louis W., Greenville, R. D. 4, Ohio.
x Ring, Arthur E., Greenville, R. D. 3, Ohio.
x Risney, Wm. H., Clayton, R. D. 1, Ohio.
x Rinehart, Myron A., Bradford, R. D. 1, Ohio.
1 Rinehart, John M., Tremont, R. D. 1, Kans.
2 Rinehart, W. H., Kodomah, Mo.
2 Rinehart, Lester R., Mary, R. D. 1, Ind.
x Rinehart, E. E., Wabash, R. D. 3, Box 229, Ohio.
x Lear, H. J., Pleasant Plain, R. D. 1, Ohio.
x Lehman, Hunter, Brookville, R. D.

2 Larcher, D. M., Fairview, R. D. 1, Mo.
x Lavy, J. N., North Hampton, Ohio.
2 Lavy, Isaac, Bradford, R. D. 1, O.
x Leedy, Samuel, Eaton, Ohio.
1 Mansbridge, Robert, Richmond Hill, Ont., Canada.
x Mason, J. S., 1504 Vermont St., Middletown, Ohio.
x Metzger, Ira, Lima, R. D. 3, Ohio.
1 Metzger, Orlin J., Lima, R. D. 3, Ohio.
1 Metzger, Jacob H., Frankfort, R. D. 7, Ind.
x Miller, J. D., Browning, R. D. 2, Ill.
x Miller, D. D., W. Alexandria, R. D. 4, Ohio.
x Miller, Ed. C., LaFayette, Rt. 11, Ind.
x Miller, A. E., Rt. 3, Bx. 743-A, Modesto, Calif.
2 Miller, A. R., Custer, R. D. 2, Mich.
x Miller, Leander, Wakarusa, Ind.
1 Miller, Lloyd O., Whittier, R. D. 3, Bx. 212, Calif.
2 Miller, Jesse E., Delphi, R. D. 4, Ind.
x Mohler, David, Dayton, R. D. 10, Ohio.
2 Mohler, Ira, Kokomo, R. D. 2, Ind.
2 Mohler, Amos S., North Canton, O.
1 Mohler, Isaac, Hartville, Ohio.
x Montgomery, Michael, Fairview, Mo.
x Montgomery, D. A., Wirtz, R. D. 1, Va.
x Montgomery, Joel, Fairview, R. D. 1, Mo.
x Montgomery, John L., Wirtz, R. D. 1, Va.
2 Montgomery, Chas. O., Salem, R. D. 1, Va.
2 Montgomery, I. L., Baldwin City, R. D. 2, Kans.
1 Montgomery, Joel A., Wirtz, R. D. 1, Va.
x Neff, A. A., Custer, R. D. 2, Mich.
x Oyler, J. L., Westphalia, R. D. 3, Kans.
2 Oyler, John O., Brookston, R. D. 3, Ind.
x Peters, Wm. H., Wirtz, R. D. 1, Va.
2 Peters, Newton, Lima, R. D. 3, O.
2 Peters, Wm. J., Peru, R. D. 1, Ind.
2 Peters, Joel H., Wirtz, R. D. 1, Va.
2 Petry, D. F., New Paris, Rt. 1, Ohio.
x Pippenger, C. F., Brookville, R. D. 1, Ohio.
x Prowant, David, Silver Lake, R. D. 2, Ind.
2 Reece, J. M., Sawyar, R. D. 1, Kans.
x Repp, S. F., Union Bridge, R. D. 1, Maryland.
x Rinehart, Henry, Bx. 223, Salida, Calif.
2 Royer, J. W., Union Bridge, Md.
1 Royer, Clyde D., New Carlisle, R. 3, Ohio.
2 Rule, Harrison, Rossville, Ind.
2 Rumble, Chas. B., Modesto, R. D. 3, Bx. 470, Cal.
x Rutrough, J. T., Rocky Mount, R. D. 1, Va.
x Senseney, E. M., Union Bridge, Maryland.
x Shaeffer, J. F., Eldorado, Ohio.
2 Shellabarger, Jacob, Bradford, R. D. 2, Ohio.
x Shoup, Irvin B., Springfield, R. D. 2, Ohio.
2 Shoup, J. J., New Carlisle, R. D. 2, Ohio.
x Shuman, Luther, Pendleton, R. D. 2, Ind.
1 Sides, O. J., Arcanum, R. D. 6, O.
2 Silvers, Arthur, Dayton, R. D. 10, Ohio.
x Skiles, Jacob W., Rossville, R. D. 1, Ind.
1 Stamy, D. W., Rivera, R. D. 1, Calif.

2 Larcher, D. M., Fairview, R. D. 1, Mo.

x Levy, J. N., New Haven, Ohio.

2 Levy, Isaac, Swalmat, R. D. 1, O.

x Lively, Samuel, Eaton, Ohio.

1 Manbridge, Robert, Richland Hill, Ont., Canada.

x Mason, J. S., 1024 Vermont St., Middletown, Ohio.

x Metzger, Ira, Lima, R. D. 3, Ohio.

1 Metzger, Orlin A., Lima, R. D. 3, Ohio.

1 Metzger, Jacob H., Frankfort, R. D. 2, Ind.

x Miller, J. D., Bremung, R. D. 2, Ill.

x Miller, D. B., W. Alexandria, R. D. 4, Ohio.

x Miller, Ed. C., LaFayette, R. 11, Ind.

x Miller, A. E., Rt. 3, Box 749-A, Modesto, Calif.

2 Miller, A. R., Center, R. D. 2, Mich.

x Miller, Leander, Wabash, Ind.

1 Miller, Lloyd O., Whittier, R. D. 3, Box 212, Calif.

2 Miller, Jesse E., Delphi, R. D. 4, Ind.

x Mohler, David, Dayton, R. 6, Ill., Ohio.

2 Mohler, Ira, Salem, R. D. 2, Ind.

2 Mohler, Amos S., North Canton, O.

1 Mohler, Isaac, Hartville, Ohio.

x Montgomery, Michael, Fairview, Mo.

x Montgomery, D. A., Wise, R. D. 1, Va.

x Montgomery, Joel Fairvine, R. 3, Mo.

x Montgomery, John L., Wise, R. D. 1, Va.

2 Montgomery, Chas. O., Salem, R. D. 1, Va.

2 Montgomery, I. L., Baldwin City, R. D. 2, Kans.

1 Montgomery, Joel A., Wise, R. D. 1, Va.

x Neff, A. A., Canton, R. 1, 2, Mich.

x Oyler, J. L., Westphalia, R. D. 2, Kans.

2 Ogden, John O., Brookston, R. D. 2, Ind.

x Peters, Wm. H., White, R. D. 1, Va.

2 Peters, Newton, Lima, R. D. 2, O.

2 Peters, Wm. J., Peru, R. 1, Ind.

2 Peters, Joel H., White, R. D. 1, Va.

2 Perry, H. F., New Paris, R. 1, Ohio.

x Pipenger, C. F., Brookville, R. D. 1, Ohio.

x Prescott, David, Silver Lake, R. D. 2, Ind.

2 Reese, J. M., Sawyer, R. D. 1, Kans.

x Rupp, S. F., Union Bridge, R. D. 1, Maryland.

x Rinehart, Henry, Box 222, Salida, Calif.

2 Tegner, J. W., Union Bridge, Md.

1 Ropp, Clyde D., New Castle, R. 3, Ohio.

2 Rule, Harrison, Rossville, Ind.

2 Rosson, Chas. R., Modena, R. D. 3, Box 470, Cal.

x Rutenagle, J. T., Rocky Mount, R. D. 1, Va.

x Sarvaner, E. M., Union Bridge, Maryland.

x Shaffer, J. F., Alderson, Ohio.

2 Schlabrer, Jared, Bradford, R. D. 3, Ohio.

x Sloop, Irvin B., Springfield, R. D. 2, Ohio.

2 Snoop, J. L., New Carlisle, R. D. 3, Ohio.

x Shannon, Luther, Frankton, R. D. 2, Ind.

1 Stites, O. J., Arcadia, R. D. 6, O.

2 Silvers, Arthur, Dayton, R. D. 10, Ohio.

x Stiles, Jacob W., Bloomville, R. D. 1, Ind.

2 Sharp, D. W., Brown, R. D. 1, Calif.

x Stoner, Solomon, Pendleton, R. D. 2, Ind.
x Stouffer, John L., Oakwood, R. D. 2, Ohio.
2 Thomas, J. W., Brookville, R. D. 3, Ohio.
x Wagoner, Jacob M., Cerro Gordo, Illinois.
x Wagoner, Jesse A., Surrey, R. D. 1, N. Dak.
1 Wagoner, Morris B., Flora, R. D. 2, Ind.
1 Weller, Daniel, Oakwood, Ohio.
x Wells, S. R., Doxy, R. D. 3, Okla.
2 Wertz, D. J., Quinter, R. D. 3, Kans.
2 White, F. D., Cedar Rapids, R. D. 3, Iowa.
x Wilt, Wilson, Lakeland, Fla.
1 Wolf, Paul, Quinter, Kans.
x Wray, Joel P., New Carlisle, R. D. 3, Ohio.
x Wray, W. C., Polo, R. D. 2, Ill.
1 Wray, J. D., Lamport, Colo.
2 Yoder, D. J., Delphi, R. 6, Ind.
x Yost, S. W., Flora, Ind.

OBITUARIES

THE WIDOW'S LAMENTATION

Let me weep, I feel so sad,
The best friend I ever had
Has departed, left me here
In this world so cold and drear,
He so tender and so brave
Rests already in his grave;
And the world though wide around
Has for me an empty sound.

Oh how pleasant was our life;
He my husband, I his wife;
What was trouble or despair
All we did together share;
Glad and merry him to see,
In his company to be,
He would while the hours away
Having pleasant things to say.

Scattered now by storms of grief
Are my hopes without relief,
And I tread the thorny path
Which the widow's portion hath;
Oh, I struggled long in vain
Better hopes of life to gain;
But no ray of hope is left;
Thou, Oh Lord, hast me bereft.

But I'll try not murmur now,
To thy ways I'll humbly bow;
Hear in thine abode on high
The sorrowing widow's cry;
Help that I in all thy way
Every duty may obey,
Till at last this broken chain
May connected be again.

Selected by Anna Cherry, Westphalia, Kans.

ANGLE—Sister Elsie Mae Angle, daughter of Bro. Cornelius and Sister Mary (Moore) Kinzie, was born April 19, 1881; departed this life Aug. 18, 1934 within the bounds of the Hoover (Mexico) church, Ind., aged 53 yrs. 3 mos. 30 days.

On May 30, 1903 she was united in marriage to Charles F. Angle, who preceded her in death June 16, 1932. To this union were born two sons. She was a member of the Old German Baptist church for a number of years, living a faithful loyal Christian life until the end. She is survived by her sons, Emory and Jason, a little grand-daughter, eight sisters: Ida Eller, of Cerro Gordo, Ill., Sara Lawson, of Detroit, Mich., Lotta Kingery, Margaret Miller, Laura Morts, Martha Angle, Tressie Buskirk and Claudine Enyart, also three brothers, Noah, Marion and Cecil Kinzie, all of the local vicinity. Funeral services were conducted by Brethren O. A. Custer and Howard Flora from the home to the Bethel M. E. nearby. Interment in cemetery adjoining.

The Family.

x Stuart, Solomon, Pendleton, R. D. 2, Ind.

x Sturtz, Jake L., Oakwood, R. D. 2, Ohio.

2 Thomas, J. W., Brookville, R. D. 2, Ohio.

x Wagoner, Jacob M., Cerro Gordo, Illinois.

x Wagoner, Jesse A., Surrey, R. D. 1, N. Dak.

1 Wagoner, Moses H., Flora, R. D. 2, Ind.

1 Waller, Donald, Gatewood, Ohio.

x Walls, S. E., Ivory, R. D. 3, Okla.

2 Ward, D. V., Quincy, R. D. 3, Kans.

2 White, F. D., Cedar Rapids, R. D. 3, Iowa.

x Will, William, Lakeland, Fla.

1 Wolf, Paul, Quinter, Kans.

x Wray, Joel E., New Carlisle, R. D. 2, Ohio.

x Wray, W. C., Pola, R. R. 2, Ill.

1 Wray, J. D., Lampere, Colo.

2 Yoder, D. J., Delphi, R. 6, Ind.

x Yost, S. W., Flora, Ind.

OBITUARIES

THE WIDOW'S LAMENTATION

Let me weep, I feel so sad,
The best friend I ever had
Has departed, left me here
In this world so cold and drear.
He so tender and so brave
Rests already in his grave;
And the world though wide, around
Has for me an empty sound.

Oh how pleasant was our life;
He my husband, I his wife;
What was trouble or despair
All we did together share;
Glad and merry has he been,
In his company so fond.
Scattered now by stormy of grief
And my hopes without relief.
And I tread the thorny path
Which the widow's portion hath;
Oh, I struggled long in vain
Better hopes of life to gain;
But no ray of hope is left;
Then, in Lord, lead me forth.

But I'll try not murmur more,
To the world I'll humbly bow;
Hear in shine above us long
The sorrowing widow's cry;
Help that I in all my way
Every duty may obey,
Till at last this mortal clay
May reconsecrated be again.

Selected by Anna Cherry, Wauseon, Ohio.

ANGLE—Sister Elsie Mae Angle, daughter of Ira, Cornelia and Elsie Mary (Moore) Kinzie, was born April 10, 1901; departed this life Aug. 28, 1931 within the bounds of the Hoover (Mexico) church, Ind., aged 30 yrs. 2 mos. 30 days.

On May 30, 1920 she was united in marriage to Charles F. Angle, who preceded her in death June 16, 1926. To this union were born two sons. She was a member of the Old German Baptist church for a number of years, living a faithful loyal Christian life until the end. She is survived by her sons, Emory and Jason, a little grand-daughter, eight sisters, Ida Kline, of Cerro Gordo, Ill., Sara Freeman, of Tipton, Ind., Lottie Murphy, Elizabeth Moore, Laura Jones, Martha Austin, Theodie Sunderle and Claudine Tooley, plus three brothers, Noah, Marion and Cecil Kinzie, all of this local church. Funeral services were conducted by brethren C. A. Carter and Howard Flora from the home to the Methel M. E. church. Interment in cemetery adjoining.

BLOCHER — Mary Catherine, daughter of Elder Aaron and Mary Frantz was born about two miles north of North Hampton, Ohio, Aug. 25, 1872, was married to Albert Blocher, March 2, 1901, was a member of the church of her choice, the Old German Baptist for about 46 years, and served faithfully with her husband in the deacon's office of the church, about 32 years, died to the world, and we trust was made fully alive to Christ, Sept. 23, 1934. May we all be so prepared to meet our God in peace.

She leaves besides her companion, one sister, Elizabeth Garber, of Brookville, Ohio, two brothers, Simeon Frantz of New Carlisle and Harrison Frantz, of Dialton, Ohio, and a host of other relatives and friends. Some time before her death remembering the Apostle James instruction, she was anointed with oil in the name of the Lord.

Having no children of her own, she was very friendly and companiable and motherly to the children of others with whom she came in contact. She was cheerful under trying conditions. May we emulate that good example.

Funeral services by Bro. Arthur R. King, assisted by Bro. David L. Bowman. Funeral text: Rev. 14: 12, 13. Hymns used Nos. 455, 409, 386, 385, 353 had been selected by the deceased to be sung at her funeral. Her body was laid to rest in the Myers cemetery to await the resurrection morn. She is gone but not forgotten. Age 62 years and 28 days.

Albert Blocher.

GARBER—Joseph L. Garber, son of Joseph and Mary Ann Garber, was born near Dayton, Ohio, July 12, 1852 and departed this life at the home of his daughter July 15, 1934, aged 82 years, three days.

He was married to Laura Dinkens, December 2, 1875; to this union were born three sons and one daughter, nine grandchildren and six great-grandchildren. He also leaves one brother who is the last one of their family and many other relatives and friends to mourn his departure.

He united with the Old German Baptist church in early life but in later years identified himself with the Petitioner Brethren.

On Tuesday, August 17, his body was conveyed to its last resting place in the Lower Stillwater cemetery after which services were held in the adjoining meeting house.

By The Family.

METZGER—Sister Catherine Metzger, daughter of Brother Peter and Sister Susan Saltzman, was born in the state of Ohio on August 7, 1839, and departed from this life on July 24, 1934, at the ripe old age of 94 years, 11 months and 16 days.

When yet a young child she came with her parents to Indiana and lived the remainder of her life in the same locality. Early in life she united with the Old German Baptist church, in which faith she continued steadfast, until the Lord said, it is enough, and called her up higher. On June 6, 1858, she was united in marriage to Jacob Metzger.

To this union four children were born. They are Sister Anna Skiles and Sister Leah Wagoner of Mulberry, Ind., Sister Malinda Hay, of North Manchester, Ind. and Catherine who died in infancy. She leaves to mourn their loss her three daughters named above, and two step daughters, Sister Mary Skiles and Sister Esther Keller, a number of grand-children, step-grandchildren and great-grandchildren, who appreciated her very much.

BLOCHER — Mary Catherine, daughter of Elder Aaron and Mary Frantz was born about five miles north of North Hampton, Ohio, Aug. 25, 1872, was married to Albert Blocher, March 2, 1891, was a member of the church of her choice, the Old German Baptist for about 41 years, and served faithfully with her husband in the church's office of the eldership, about 32 years, died to the world, and we trust was made fully alive to Christ, Sept. 23, 1934. May we all be so prepared to meet our God in peace.

She leaves besides her companion, one sister, Elizabeth Corbin, of Springville, Ohio, two brothers, Simon Frantz of New Carlisle and Harvey Frantz, of Dayton, Ohio, and a host of other relatives and friends. Some time before her death, recalling the Apostle James instruction, she was anointed with oil in the name of the Lord.

Having no children of her own, she was very friendly and considerable and motherly to the children of sisters with whom she came in contact. She was cheerful under trying conditions. May we emulate that good example.

Funeral services by Bro. Arthur R. King, assisted by Bro. David L. Brubaker. Funeral text: Rev. 14: 13. Hymns used Nos. 448, 469, 584, 585. 585 had been selected by the deceased to be sung at her funeral. Her body was laid to rest in the Myers cemetery to await the resurrection morn. She is gone but not forgotten. Age 62 years and 23 days.

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He was married to Laura Dickson, December 2, 1873; to this union were born three sons and one daughter, nine grandchildren and six great-grandchildren. He also leaves one brother who is the last one of their family and many other relatives and friends to mourn his departure.

He united with the Old German Baptist church in early life, but in later years identified himself with the Brethren church.

On Tuesday, August 17, his body was conveyed to its last resting place in the Lower Stillwater cemetery, at which services were held by the aid of Jeremy Hostetler.

Ely Ike Frantz.

MYERS—Susan Catherine Myers, great daughter of Brother Peter and Sister Susan Gulzman, was born in the state of Ohio on August 7, 1853, and departed from this life on July 24, 1934, at the ripe old age of 81 years, 11 months and 17 days.

When yet a young child she came with her parents to Indiana and lived the remainder of her life in the same locality. Early in life she united with the Old German Baptist church, in which faith she continued faithful until the Lord called, it is enough, and called her up higher. On June 6, 1878, she was married in matrimony to Jacob Myers.

To this union four children were born. They are Elmer Amos Smith and Esther Jane Wagoner of Mishawaka, Ind., Silas Benjamin Myers, of Mishawaka, Ind., and Catherine who died in infancy. She leaves to mourn their loss her three daughters named above and two step-daughters, Sister Mary Shiley and Sister Esther Irvine, a number of grandchildren, step-grandchildren and great-grandchildren who appreciated her very much.

Grandmother lived an examplary life of piety, always contending for the order and faith of the church.

Funeral was preached by Brethren Joseph L. Fisher and O. A. Custer in the Middle Fork church with burial in cemetery nearby.

Jacob W. Skiles.

SMITH—Irvin Lee, son of Walter and Cora Smith, was born June 1, 1914; died Aug. 4, 1934- Aged 19 years, 2 months and 3 days. He spent all his life at home. He and some young folks were on their way to a picnic, their car was wrecked and Irvin was killed almost instantly. He had joined the Methodist church about three years ago. Irvin was an obedient son, a kind and lovely brother, and will be missed by many who loved him; but we hope our loss is his eternal gain.

The deceased leaves to mourn his departure father, mother, one brother (Earl Wm.) one grandfather, two grandmothers and many other relatives and friends. One brother died in infancy. Funeral at Hall church to a large congregation. Burial in Hall church grave yard. Dear Irvin is gone but not forgotten.

Mary Wade, his aunt.

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Mary Wade, his sister.

Hold it for warmth when the day is cold—
Keep it for joy when youth goes singing,
Clasp it for peace when you are old.
When can a mother give her children
More than a faith that will not dim?
Take it, my dear ones—hold it forever:
A lamp for a lifetime—faith in Him!

Selected by R. R. Lambert.

TWO MISSOURI LOVEFEASTS

The Lovefeast held in the Walnut Creek church, Knobnoster, Mo., Nov. 3, was well attended although the weather was a little rainy. Very good attention was given to the Word which was preached with power. May God bless the labors to such an extent that his name may be honored and souls be brought to Christ. The ministry from abroad were Brethren Wm. N. Kinsey, J. C. Darst, D. M. Coning, Ohio, J. L. Oyler, Ira Hirt, J. N. Reece and J. M. Kinsley, Kans.

Noah Flory.

Our communion near Fairview, Mo., the last in the middle west for this year, had nice weather and good help in the ministry, namely, Isaac Montgomery, J. M. Reece, Ira Hirt, Kans., and Wm. H. Kinzie, Knobnoster, Mo. They preached the word with power, Fri., Nov. 9 and gave farewell addresses Saturday and Sunday. A number of others from different parts were present including Bro. and Sister Ezra Miller, from Ohio. Many good impressions were made.

Michael Montgomery.

This number completes the sixty-fifth volume of THE VINDICATOR. It has lived long enough to prove its character and spirit which have never changed from the start. We trust all our subscribers as much as practicable will renew for 1935.

"He that undureth unto the end shall be saved."

"Naught that I have my own I call,
I hold it for the Giver;
My heart, my strength, my life, my all
Are His, and His forever."

OBITUARIES

SWEET REMEMBRANCE

Just a thought of sweet remembrance;
Just a memory fond and true;
Just some tokens of affection,
And a heartache still for them.
Just a sigh for the olden moments;
Just a smile of love anew;
Just a tear in silence falling,
And a yearning still for them.

They are gone but not forgotten
In our memory they ne're shall fade
And while life and strength are left us
We shall linger round their graves
Rest in peace their cares are ended
Rest in peace their work is done.
They have gone where we who loved them
Soon are coming one by one.

Selected by Ida E. Patrick, Flora, Ind.

BRUBAKER — In the Howard church, Ind., Bro. Daniel Brubaker departed this life Oct. 8th, 1934, at the age of 77 years. He was united in marriage to Mary A. Shivley the 18th of Sept. 1879. To this union were born three children, viz., Dr. E. H. Brubaker, Viola Greider and M. M. Brubaker. He was the last of a family of seven children. The deceased

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Keep it for joy when youth goes skipping.
Clasp it for peace when you are old.
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More than a faith that will not dim?
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A lamp for a lifetime—faith in Him!

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united with the Old German Baptist Church which faith he held until death. Funeral services at the Howard Church by the home Brethren to a large and sympathizing congregation of neighbors and friends. Interment in the South Union Cemetery.

J. L. Fisher.

GIBBONS—Daniel Gibbons, son of David and Harriet Gibbons, was born Jan. 7th, 1842 in Frederick Co., Md.; died at Palo Alto, Calif., Sept. 15th, 1934, aged 92 years, 8 months, 8 days. He fell a victim to paralysis Nov. 28, 1932. He desired the anointing, spoke of it occasionally, but on acocunt of certain conditions and our isolation, it remained undone (Sad indeed). He requested the service of the U. S. government, and who tenderly cared for him in detail. Funeral rites were conducted by the brethren; all military rules were dispensed with, courtesies and respect were accorded us, a quiet service ensued with but little deviation from our regular order. Thus the body lies at rest on the picturesque hill-side overlooking the placid waters of the Pacific.

Widow.

INBODY—John S. Inbody was born November 6th, 1844 near Logan, Ohio and departed this life near New Lebanon, Ohio, Oct. 25th, 1934. Aged 89 years, 11 months and 18 days. He was united in marriage to Catherine Ann Diehl, September 8th, 1878. She preceded him in death a little over two years ago. He became a member of the Old German Baptist church soon after marriage. He leaves to mourn his death, three brothers and many other relatives and friends. Funeral services were held October 28 in the Eversole Church by the undersigned assisted by Bro. Benj. E. Fisher, from a text chosen by the deceased, viz., Rev. 15:2, 3, to a large congregation of relatives and friends. Interment in cemetery near the church. We hope our loss is his eternal gain.

Geo. Bowser.

PENNY—William E. Penny, son of Lydia E. and Mercer Penny, son-in-law of Elder Jacob Mohler, deceased, was born near Painter Creek, Darke County, Ohio, Jan. 27, 1869; departed this life Sept. 22, 1934, aged 65 yrs., 7 months and 25 days. He is survived by one sister, Mrs. Rose Katherman of Bradford, Ohio and three sons, Orville, of Troy, O., Albert of Dayton, O., and Joseph of Buffalo, N. Y., and seven grandchildren. Funeral at Potsdam, Ohio. Burial in the cemetery nearby.

C. A. Arnet.

YODER—Bro. Aaron D. Yoder, son of Bro. Daniel and Mary Smucker Yoder, was born in Marshall Co., Ind. April 27, 1872, and passed from the scenes of this life at his home three miles southwest of Rossville, Ind., on Oct. 16, 1934, at the age of 62 years, 5 months and 19 days. On Feb. 14, 1892 he was united in marriage to Sister Lydia Metzger. To this union were born seven sons and one daughter. The father was the first to be called from the family circle by death. He leaves to mourn their loss his loving wife and the following children: Henry and Adam, of Mulberry, Ind.; Harry and Allen of Dayton, Ohio; John of Indianapolis, Ind.; Roy of Santa Anna, Calif. and William and Ruby at home; six grandchildren, one brother and one sister, three half brothers and three half sisters. He united with the Old German Baptist church early in life and remained faithful till death.

Brother Aaron was widely known and made friends wherever he went.

He was a neighbor in the fullest sense of the word, always among the very first to be ready to lend a helping hand in time of need. He will be greatly missed in the church, and in the neighborhood, but most of all by the family. Funeral services were conducted at the Middle Fork church by Elder Solomon Stoner and the undersigned. Burial in cemetery nearby.

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